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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The Oregon arrived at Kure, Japan; she will be patched and go to Taku, China. —— Chaffee has been promoted to Major General of volunteers. —— All exports of American cotton goods to China have ceased. —— W. W. Rockhill appointed special commissioner to China, to investigate and report on the situation. —— Marines at the Norfolk navy yard left yesterday enroute to China. —— The total loss of Americans in the fighting at Tien Tsin on the 13th was 140 killed and wounded. —— Germany, France and Russia recognize that a state of war with China exists. ——New York markets: Money on call quiet at 1½@1½ per cent.; cotton dull, middling uplands 10c; flour steadier; wheat—spot firm; No. 2 red 85c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 46c; oats—spot weaker, No. 2 28c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine quiet.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., July 19.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 80 degrees; 8 P. M., 81 degrees; maximum, 93 degrees; minimum, 80 degrees; mean, 87 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, —; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .25. Stage of water at 8 A. M. at Fayetteville 2 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Moderate to heavy showers reported in the lower Mississippi valley districts, and light showers in the other sections of the cotton belt excepting the Carolinas. The changes in temperature were slight.

FORECAST FOR TO DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—For North Carolina, local rains and cooler Friday, clearing Saturday; fresh southwesterly shifting to northerly winds.

Port Almanac—July 20.

Sun Rises	4.57 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.13 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 27 M.
High Water at Southport	2.43 P. M.
High Water, Wilmington	5.13 P. M

Hanna says, "the boys" called and he "responded." He will have a good deal of responding to do before next November.

Soldiering in the U. S. army isn't quite as monotonous as it used to be. The boys are seeing a good deal of the world, whether they see any fun in it or not.

Spain isn't a bit flustered over the racket in China. She hasn't anybody nor any trade to protect over there, and can look on while the mauling proceeds.

The Empress Dowager Tsi An is making about as bad a hand in running China as Boss Marian is in running the Rep.-Pop. business in North Carolina.

Sugar has been advanced another tenth of a cent a pound which makes the ninth advance since the late combine, which is now making a profit of over $500,000 a week.

Being shot isn't a very nice thing at any time, but it must be particularly annoying to English and German soldiers in China to be shot down with English and German guns and ammunition.

A correspondent of the Washington *Post* says the vote of Kansas is in doubt, on account of the large number of independent voters, mostly farmers. Teddy Roosevelt's trip to whoop 'em up was a failure.

Some of the coal mining companies in Colorado are importing Southern negroes to work in the mines, not because labor is scarce or high out there but because the negroes work for less than white men.

After snob W. W. Astor has been snubbed some more by the English nabobs, perhaps he may conclude to renounce his British allegiance, return to this country, take out papers of citizenship, and try to be an American.

A queer thing recently happened in a Paterson, N. J., shoe factory. The boiler exploded and blew several yards of shoe laces into the body of one of the workmen, one of which in some mysterious way got wound around one of his ribs.

The Kentucky Legislature didn't propose to take any chances when it passed a law declaring it "unlawful for any person to discharge at random any deadly weapon whether said weapon be loaded or unloaded." It is frequently the case that the "unloaded" weapon does the harm.

It is said that Mr. Bryan has abandoned the idea of running a front porch campaign, which was a very sensible thing to do if he ever thought of the front porch business. McKinley has a pre-emption claim on that, entered in his behalf by M. Hanna.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Register to-day.

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— The Carolina Yacht Club will give a dance at their Club house to-night.

— The First Ward White Supremacy Club will meet in Hiberian Hall Monday night.

— To-morrow night you can't register, and *positively* you cannot vote on August 2nd.

— The New York steamer arrived last night at 10.30 o'clock from her Georgetown trip.

— Painters are adding much to the appearance of the MacRae building on Front street next north to the Masonic Temple.

— Mr. E. A. Chadwick denies cetrain reports circulated to the effect that he is opposed to the Constitutional Amendment.

— The Standard Oil barge No. 57 and schooner *Jno. D. Long* passed out at Southport at 8.30 o'clock yesterday morning.

— This is an entirely NEW registration and unless your name has been registered since last election you will not be permitted to vote Aug. 2nd.

— Failure to register counts one vote against permanent white supremacy. Why defer the matter longer? To-morrow after sunset is forever too late.

— The Silver Stream distillery near Wilmington has been seized by Deputy Revenue Collector Babbitt for alleged violation of internal revenue laws.

— An enthusiastic meeting of the Second Ward White Supremacy Club was held last night. Important matters regarding registration were discussed.

— Failure to register to-day or to-morrow debars you from voting not only for the Constitutional Amendment but for State and County officers.

— Parties who were at Hilton yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock report quite a heavy rainfall. The sun was shining bright and "hot" in the city at the same hour.

— The little daughter of Mr. J. P. Jones, superintendent of the city rock quarry, had the misfortune to break her arm while playing with some companions about the house yesterday morning. Dr. A. H. Harriss set the broken member.

— A Goldsboro special to the Charlotte *Observer* says that Jno. R. Melton, ex-chief of police of Wilmington, has registered here, claiming Goldsboro as his home and his occupation that of storekeeper and gauger.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. L. Gore Co.—Field peas.
J. W. Plummer, Jr.—Peaches.
Hall & Pearsall—Snuff, tobacco.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

E. A. Chadwick—A card.
Wanted—To rent a buggy.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Dr. L. Hussey, of Warsaw, returned home last night.

— Miss Julia Fillyaw returned home last evening from Richmond.

— Miss Cummings, of Raleigh, arrived last night to visit Miss Katie Mayo, on Wrightsville Beach.

— Miss Lilly Belle Newbury, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned to Magnolia yesterday.

— Mrs. E. S. Latimer and daughters, Misses Belle and Bessie, left last night for White Sulphur Springs, Va.

— Mr. W. R. Vann, A. C. L. agent at Castle Haynes, returned last night from Knoxville where he has been spending some time.

— Messrs. W. A. Carter, of Wilson; M. M. Marks, of Newbern; R. H. Wright, of Oak Bidge, and Z. F. Long, of Rockingham, are registered at The Orton.

— Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were Mr. H. C. McNair, of Maxton; Messrs. Jas. L. McNair, Jno. R. Murphy, D. T. Cook, J. A. Jones and M. W. RacRae, of Laurinburg; Messrs. Holland Smith, W. K. Diggs, T. L. McRae and J. M. Smith, of Rockingham.

Died At Kenansville.

A correspondent of the STAR writing yesterday from Magnolia says: "Mrs. Elizabeth Farrior, relict of the late John Farrior, passed peacefully away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Isaac Kelley at Kenansville, N. C., on July 29th, aged 90 years. She was the mother of Henry Farrior, Esq., of Kenansville and S. D. Farrior, Esq., of Wilmington. She was universally beloved for her kind and amiable Christian character."

Very Large Excursion.

A large excursion was run to Wilmington yesterday from Rockingham and intervening points on the Carolina Central railroad. There were 14 coaches in the train and the crowd was estimated at about 1,000. Many of the excursionists went through to Wrightsville, while a large number went to Carolina Beach and to Southport on the steamer *Wilmington*. The train departed at 8 o'clock last night.

Epworth Leaguers will go to Atlanta for the Southern Conference, by the Seaboard Air Line Railway. †

CLOSING SESSION.

North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association Adjourned Yesterday Afternoon.

MR. R. H. JORDAN PRESIDENT.

Winston Chosen as the Next Place of Meeting—Address by President of National Retail Druggists' Association—Banquet Given.

The North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association after a two day's session in Wilmington adjourned yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock to meet in Winston next June, the exact date to be designated by the president and secretary of the association and the local secretary, who is Mr. E. W. O'Hanlon, of Winston. The sessions have been very pleasant and Castle Hall proved an especially desirable place for the meetings. Electric fans were kept going apace with the thermometer during the past two days which have been exceedingly warm and the hall was tastefully decorated for the occasion by Mr. C. F. Will Rehder. Messrs. William Niestlie, James C. Munds and Wm. H. Green, of the local entertainment committee contributed in many other respects towards making things agreeable for the visiting pharmacists.

During the morning session the same officers presided as on the day before and the attendance was swelled by late arrivals on Wednesday evening's and yesterday morning's trains. In addition to these there were about 15 other pharmacists of the State admitted to membership.

The executive committee made a further report at the morning session and officers for the ensuing fiscal year were named as follows:

President—R. H. Jordan, Charlotte.

First Vice President—John H. Hardin, Wilmington.

Second Vice President—H. T. Hicks, Raleigh.

Third Vice President—W. A. Leslie, Morganton.

Secretary—P. W. Vaughan, Durham.

Treasurer—A. J. Cook, Fayetteville.

Executive Committee—G. R. Pilkington, Pittsboro; J. Hicks Bunting, Wilmington; G. R. Wootten, Hickory; A. S. Harrison, Enfield; P. W. Vaughan (*ex officio*,) Durham.

Committees on Papers and Queries, Trade Interests, Adulteration, Legislation, and Delegates to the American Pharmaceutical, Virginia, South Carolina and Maryland Pharmaceutical Associations will be named by the president later.

A pleasing feature of the morning session was an address by Mr. Simon N. Jones, of Louisville, president of the National Association of Retail Druggists. His subject was along the lines of trade interests, evils, etc., and is spoken of very complimentarily. He referred to the sale of drugs by grocers and persons other than druggists; of the now uncalled for internal revenue stamp tax and other irregularities that are grappling at the throats of honest dealers.

The afternoon session was principally taken up with the installation of officers and the hearing of a further report from the executive committee. Applications for membership were also acted upon.

At 5 o'clock in the afternoon the visiting pharmacists left over the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad for Wrightsville as the guests of the Wilmington Drug Association. They were tendered last night at the Seashore Hotel a splendid "seaside" banquet, during which the utmost good fellowship prevailed.

The sessions of the Association have been pleasant and profitable and Wilmington is glad to have had the State pharmacists with her upon the occasion of their annual meeting. Official reports of the meetings were taken in short hand by Miss Tallulah DeRosset.

Board Of Pharmacy.

Mr. William Simpson, the veteran secretary of the Board of Pharmacy, said yesterday evening that the board had not yet completed the work of passing upon the examination papers of applicants for license and as the task in an unusually heavy one this year, it will probably not be until after members of the board have gone home that all the papers will have been gone over.

SENT TO CASTLE HAYNES.

County Convicts Have Been Put to Work in Phosphate Mines There.

Thirty-three county convicts have been taken up to Castle Haynes to be used in mining phosphate rock by the Hanover Land and Improvement Company, an equitable agreement having been reached between Chairman McEachern, of the Board of County Commissioners, and Mr. C. C. Chadbourn, general manager of the mines there, by which the Improvement Company will get the phosphate rock and the county all that is adapted to road work. The agreement is believed to be a very advantageous one for the county.

Mr. W. H. Shearin has been engaged by the county to superintend the work at the mines. Active work will be begun Saturday or Monday.

Held Examination.

Eight applicants were examined for teachers' certificates by Capt. Ed Wilson Manning yesterday. The number was equally divided between white and colored. There was one applicant for a scholarship at the Peabody Normal School, Nashville, Tenn. Prof. Washington Catlett assisted in holding the examination.

BASE BALL TEAM WILL BE SUPPORTED.

Enthusiastic Meeting Held Last Night and Large Sum Subscribed—Other Notes of Interest—Tarboro To-day.

There was a small but very enthusiastic meeting of base ball fans at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The small attendance was due to the fact that many base ball enthusiasts were on the beaches. The unanimous sentiment expressed by those present was to loyally support the team throughout the season. A handsome sum was subscribed and the outlook for the Wilmington team is unusually bright. Committees will be appointed later to solicit further subscriptons.

Mr. Nixon Davis said that at the beginning of the season it was thought that the North Carolina Base Ball Association would be represented by teams playing men of semi-professional type, but since that time the various teams have developed such strength, it has been found necessary to employ professional ball players in order to cope with the other teams in the league. The Wilmington team has been very materially strengthened and it is believed that the people of Wilmington will now give it unlimited support.

Tarboro's team will arrive this morning and will play here to-day, Saturday and Monday. The game will be called this afternoon at 4.30 o'clock sharp. Townsend and Radcliffe will be the battery for the visitors, and Allen and Gwaltney will do the honors for Wilmington.

Wilmington's team will line up as follows: Gwaltney, c.; Allen, p.; Wills, 1b.; McBride, 2b.; Gilligan, ss,; Stearns, 3b.; Summersgill, rf.; Collier, cf.; Rea, lf.

The Executive Committee will meet in Raleigh July 27th to pass on the game protested with Durham.

Wilmington leaves on the 26th for Statesville to play two games, and also three games with Charlotte. She will close the first half of the season with two games with Tarboro here August 3rd and 4th.

It is only just to the Wilmington Street Railway Company to say that the managers have exerted themselves to the utmost to provide everything possible toward the success of the sport in Wilmington. Not only have members of the home team been provided with passes to and from Hilton but visiting teams have been extended a similar courtesy. This morning the diamond will be rolled over by a heavy road machine and it goes without saying that this will be of much benefit.

DEMOCRATIC SPEAKER EGGED

Unprovoked Insult to an Editor While Discussing the Amendment—Methods of Butler, Holton & Co.

Yesterday afternoon's Wilson *News* says:

Last night Mr. W. A. Finch and Mr. C. W. Gold filled their appointment at Bloomery School House, near Finch's mill, in Taylor's township, some six miles from Wilson, where the Populist influence is strong. The meeting was composed almost entirely of Populists, but one man present being known to be a Democrat. Mr. Finch, who was suffering from a cold, had requested Mr. Gold to make the only speech. This he did, calmly discussing the value of the Amendment, making no harsh remarks, using no inflammatory language. He invited questions from his hearers and answered them. Just as he concluded and stepped from the rostrum Mr. Wood O'Neal asked him another question, which he had started to answer, when through the window to his right from the outside darkness there came a volley of eggs.

It was an unexpected and unprovoked assault. One of the eggs struck Mr. Gold full on the arm, breaking and covering his shirt sleeve, for he had taken off his coat on account of the heat. The other eggs broke as they struck a post and the sides of the window, scattering their coatents right and left. Mr. Gold heard the sound of people running and quieted the disturbed audience. Those present deplored the unprovoked and outrageous affair, declaring they knew nothing of the perpetrators.

So far as known Mr. Gold is the only Democratic editor and speaker in North Carolina ever egged while calmly discussing political measures, and the assault upon him is regarded as an outcome of the vicious advice of Butler, Holton and the fusion pie crowd.

Fire Yesterday Morning.

The fire at 4 o'clock yesterday morning was at the residence of A. J. Marshall, Esq., on Market between Ninth and Tenth streets, and was caused by a lamp explosion. None of the family was at home at the time and a lighted lamp had been left in the rear of the passage by an old colored man sleeping in a house in the back yard. The damage is about $150. The alarm was turned in from box 53 by some one passing, whose attention was attracted by the blaze.

On to Washington City.

Remember day and date Tuesday, July 24 1900, train will leave Wilmington, N. C., A. C. L. Depot, at 8.30 A. M. sharp. All those intend going can secure state rooms by writing either Mr. C. W. Polvogt, Wilmington, N. C., or R. E. Pikin, Goldsboro, N. C. We want every body to secure state rooms at least one week before July 25, 1900.

R. E. PIPKIN,
Manager.

Goldsboro, N. C. †

The auditorium in Atlanta will seat 9,000 Epworth Leaguers. The Seaboard Air Line Railway will take them to Atlanta. †

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played Yesterday by Teams of the North Carolina Base Ball Association—The Official Score.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Raleigh, 1; Charlotte, 7.
Durham, 1; Tarboro, 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Tarboro at Wilmington.
Charlotte at Statesville.
Durham at Raleigh.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Tarboro	12	5	.705
Durham	8	8	.500
Charlotte	7	7	.500
Raleigh	8	9	.470
Wilmington	5	8	.384
Statesville	4	7	.363

[*Special Star Telegrams.*]

TARBORO, N. C., July 19.—Vorhees went in the box again to day and held the Durham sluggers at his mercy. His pitching was the greatest ever seen here. Only one man reached second, and he scored on an error. Only twenty nine men faced him. Dannehower was hit hard and his support was mediocre. The game was close and interesting, though the locals outclassed the visitors. Bacon, Johnson and Vorhees lead in the hitting. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Tarboro	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	3	11	2
Durham	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	5

Batteries, Vorhees and Radcliffe; Dannehower and Wilkins.

Umpire, Mr. Johnston.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 19.—Charlotte easily won the game from Raleigh to day by a score of 7 to 1. Bass was batted out of the box in the first inning by the heavy hitting "Presbyterians." Person was substituted and only three runs were made off of him. White, Charlotte's new pitcher, pitched a superb game, allowing the "Statesmen" only two safe hits, and doing some heavy hitting himself. Raleigh should have been shut out, as her only run was scored on a wild throw to third. Both teams played star ball, and the large crowd present thoroughly enjoyed a beautiful game. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Charlotte	4	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	7	10	2
Raleigh	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3

Batteries, White and Oldham; Bass, Person and Manners.

Time of game, one hour and ten minutes.

Umpire, Mr. George Stephens.

BACK FROM LUMBERTON.

Wilmington's Rapid Fire Gun Came Back Early This Morning—Magnificent Demonstration by People.

Capt. C. H. White, of the Wilmington Light Infantry, and Mr. William A. Whitney, who went to Lumberton to exhibit Wilmington's rapid fire gun at the big Democratic demonstration there yesterday, returned this morning on the freight train arriving here about 1:30 o'clock. Iredell Meares, Esq., also returned on the same train.

Capt. White speaks enthusiastically of the big meeting arranged by the people of Robeson and says the gun created much interest. The Croatans were out in large numbers and many of them, wearing red shirts, were mounted. The gun was carried in a float in the procession which was more than a mile long. A special feature of the parade was a snow white float in which was seated Miss French, representing "White Supremacy."

All along the Carolina Central on his way to Lumberton yesterday, Mr. Aycock received perfect ovations. At Laurinburg the train waited nearly an hour for him to speak to the people there. It was nearly 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the train reached Wilmington.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Initiated Five New Members and Served Refreshments Last Night.

Live Oak Camp No. 6, Woodmen of the World, last night celebrated in fitting manner the acquisition to its membership roll of five new "choppers," four of whom are residents of Southport, who expressed a desire to join the Wilmington Camp rather than to form a separate Camp there.

After the usual initiatory exercises a delightful spread of refreshmens and a watermelon feast was enjoyed in honor of the new members. As usual with the Woodmen, the STAR office was remembered when it came to feasting for which the Camp has sincerest thanks.

The newly initiated members are: Messrs. T. L. Vines, R. W. Davis, J. M. C. Fisher and Berg, of Southport, and Mr. E. B. Burkheimer, of Wilmington.

Boat Club.

The Y. M. C. A. Boat Club now numbers thirty members and much interest is being manifested in it. Dr. N. M. Wetzel, the physical director of the Y. M. C. A., is now at Southport, the guest of Col. Taylor's Boys' Brigade, and while there he will inspect several boats which have been offered for sale to the club.

Only Routine Business.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association was held at 3.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but only business of a routine and private character was transacted.

Hatch Brothers' Grand Excursion from Wilmington to Norfolk, Washington and Baltimore for white people only on Tuesday August 21st. Orders for state rooms on steamer may be placed either with Hatch Bros., Mount Olive, or H. J. Gerken, Wilmington. Fare from Wilmington and points south of Mount Olive, to Norfolk and return $3.75; to Washington and Baltimore, $5.50. Train leaves Wilmington 8:30 A. M. †

ROBESON AROUSED.

Six Thousand People at the Great Democratic Rally at Lumberton Yesterday.

AYCOCK AND GLENN SPOKE.

The Procession—A Thousand Red Shirts in the Parade—Great Barbecue—Beautiful Girls—Fine Music—Cannon Booming.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

LUMBERTON, N. C., July 19.—This has been great day for Democracy in this section. The crowd present at the Democratic rally was conservatively estimated at six thousand; both Glenn and Aycock said it was the largest crowd they had spoken to during the campaign and those who have recently attended great gatherings in the State pronounce the one to day the most enthusiastic and best organized assemblage of Democrats they have seen. Chairman Geo B. McLeod and Col. N. A. McLean, assisted by other party leaders, have made a great fight and confidently expect twenty-five hundred majority for the amendment.

The Procession.

A grand pageantry, indeed, was the beautiful and orderly parade, pronounced by all who saw it the finest ever seen in this section of the State. The procession was headed by a phaeton, white as snow, drawn by the nicest horses in town, with harness to match the vehicle, which was driven by Miss Annie French, daughter of Col. W. F. French, one of North Carolina's fairest girls, who was attired in white and wore a crown of white. There were a number of other vehicles which carried young ladies, all of whom were beautifully attired in white.

Following this procession was a large company of mounted Red Shirts—the number being estimated at one thousand—who were commanded by that gallant leader of men, Col. N. A. McLean.

Aycock and Glenn both made powerful speeches. Glenn spoke for two and a half hours and

Preached The Whole Gospel.

He covered the entire ground and edified the flock and brought sinners to repentance. Aycock followed, for only fifty minutes, in one of his happiest efforts. The people went wild as they listened to their peerless leader; he was at his best and no doubt did much good. He concluded his speech by saying that it was not necessary to speak long here; said he wanted to wait till he found more sinners.

A great barbecue, fine music, and hundreds of beautiful girls were among the other attractions. Cannons were fired all along during the morning, and at intervals through the entire day the air resounded with the reports of rapid fire guns.

W. F. Gibson, of Gibson, the first organizer of Red Shirts in North Carolina, was here from Scotland county and says that county will give 1,000 majority for the Amendment, out of 1,100 white voters. Walter H. Neal, Scotlands peerless leader, was here and helped to warm the occasion with his enthusiasm,

COL. WADDELL IN COLUMBUS.

Spoke to a Large Crowd at Fair Bluff on Wednesday Night.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

FAIR BLUFF, N. C., July 19.—Hon. A. M. Waddell, of Wilmington, spoke to a large crowd in the Farmers' Central Warehouse last night on the constitutional amendment. It was a great speech by a great speaker. He appealed to white men to come together, regardless of party, defining this as not a party but a race question. It has done good in spite of the "Blind Tigers" that have been scattered all over this section.

Hon. J. A. Brown then spoke for a few minutes on the necessity for work in Columbus.

Said He Was Waited Upon.

A negro employed at the Home Brewing Company and living in the Fifth Ward, reported to the police last night that he had been waited upon by a number of men with pistols, and that he wished lodging for the night. He said he knew none of the men but saw them in front of his house and made his exit through the back window, going to the house of Mr. Lietgen, his employer, and telling him the circumstances. The negro thinks that it is a personal matter and has nothing to do with politics.

The police made prompt and diligent inquiry of the affair, but the investigation disclosed nothing.

— Election on Constitutional Amendment, for State and County officers, and for members of the Legislature, Thursday, August 2d.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway offers superior schedules for the Conference of Epworth Leagues at Atlanta July 25th to 29th. †

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A CARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C., July 16, 1900.

EDITOR STAR:—Will you allow me space in your paper to correct a false report. It has been reported that I was working against the Amendment. I wish to inform my friends that this report is false. I have always spoke in favor of the Amendment and in August I certainly am going to vote for it.

Respectfully,
E. A. CHADWICK.

jy 20 1t

Auction Sale of Furniture by Cyrus S. VanAmringe, Auctioneer.

The entire Household and Kitchen Furniture of Mrs. C. P. Mebane will be sold at auction without reserve, Friday, July 20th, at 10 o'clock, at No. 19 and 21 North Second street.

jy 19 2t

Davy Crockett Spoke Sound Philosophy when he said, "BE SURE YOU ARE RIGHT, THEN GO AHEAD."

If you are heading for THE KING GROCERY CO. you are sure to be right. We have everything usually found in a first-class Grocery, and can afford to sell you cheaper than any one else because we sell for cash. No "bad accounts" to divide with you, but a great big fat money's worth of food and Perfect Satisfaction.

Have you tried Martin's Gilt Edge Creamery Butter yet?

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A large Lot on Market street.
Several small houses.

W. M. CUMMING,
Real Estate & Notary Public.
jy 18 tf ex sr

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If interested at this station, call on or address
E. A. PERRY,
my 28 tf Chadbourn, N. C.

WILMINGTON SEA COAST R. R.

On and after June 14, 1900, the schedule will be as follows:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6.20 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	10.00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View
10 10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	9.00 P. M.

Every Friday and Saturday on account of Club House dances the last train will leave the Beach at 11 P. M. instead of 10.00.

Freight will be carried only on the 10.10 A. M. and 5 P. M. trains except fresh meats, ice and vegetables, which will be taken on the 6.20 train. No goods will be received unless accompanied by way bills and FREIGHT PREPAID. Freight must be received at our depot 15 minutes before leaving time of train. No exceptions will be made to these rules.

jy 10 tf R. O. GRANT, Supt.

Special Notice for Tournament.

Full stock of Bread for this week. Meals at all hours.

AT WARREN'S
Steam Bakery and Cafe,
jy 11 tf No. 22 North Front street

Watermelons.

First car-load of the season now due.

Georgia Melons,

which must be promptly sold.

Offers received on all or part.

THE WORTH CO.,
Wholesale Grocers.
je 24 tf

MERCER & EVANS

Take this method

of returning sincere thanks for the Liberal Patronage bestowed upon them during the past week by their

Friends from far and near.

We gladly say, COME AGAIN!

A Fresh Lot of DOUGLASS' FOR MEN and DUTTENHOEFER'S FOR LADIES expected daily.

Respectfully,
Mercer & Evans,

AGENTS FOR W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES BEST IN THE WORLD

jy 15 tf

Everything in Hardware

at WHOLESALE or RETAIL

May be found at

J. W. Murchison & Co's,
ORTON BUILDING.

Seasonable Specialties in

Ice Cream Freezers, Refrigerators, Water Coolers, etc.
jy 18 tf

Wheat Crop in Peril.

Continued dry weather has burnt up the fields.

-FLOUR-

has advanced equal to 50 cents a barrel. We distribute the

"Q" "Q" Stock Best
BRANDS.

It will be your profit to call or write

VOLLERS & HASHAGEN, Millers' Agents and Provisioners.

Also, we sell everything made from the hog, such as

DRY SALT MEATS, LARD, HAMS, &c.

As is well known our prices and quality have stood the test. Try us.

Warehouses and office A. C. Line Crossing.
jy 24 tf

JUST RECEIVED.

35 Crates
soft clear-stone
Peaches.

Must be sold to-day Regardless of Cost.

J. W. PLUMMER, Jr.
jy 20 tf

SNUFF, TOBACCO, CIGARS, &c., &c.

Groceries & Provisions.

Get our prices on **Salt** before buying.

HALL & PEARSALL,
jy 19 tf Nutt and Mulberry streets.

Schedule Carolina Beach and Southport in effect June 12th.

FOR CAROLINA BEACH.

Boat leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach 6 A. M., 9.15 A. M., 2.45 P. M., 5.15 P. M. and 7.30 P. M

FOR WILMINGTON.

Trains leave Beach at 7 A. M., 1 P. M., 3.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8.30 P. M.

Fare to the Pier and return on the 5.15 and 7.30 boat 15 cents.

No 7.30 boat from Wilmington and no 8.30 train from Beach on Monday and Saturday.

Leave Wilmington Sunday at 10.00 A. M. 2.30 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.

Leave Beach Sunday at 12.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8.30 P. M.

FOR SOUTHPORT.

Boat leaves Wilmington at 9.15 A. M.

FOR WILMINGTON.

Boat leaves Southport at 12 M.

Two hundred tickets will be given away every week for Saturday's boats. Apply to S. W. Sanders, "Unlucky Corner."

jy 8 tf J. W. HARPER.

Tobacco-Twine. A few bales of Tobacco-Twine for sale.

10,000 Old Va. Cheroots at reduced prices.
25,000 Carolina Bright Cigarettes.
25,000 Cross Cut Cigarettes.
50 Boxes Handkerchief Soap. Handkerchief free with every nickel cake.

Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Bagging, Ties and other goods.

Get our prices.

D. L. GORE CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
jy 4 tf Wilmington, N. C.

D. O'CONNOR.

Real Estate Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

DWELLINGS, STORES AND OFFICES FOR RENT.

Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms. Fire, Life and Insurance attended to promptly. Money loaned on mortgage. ma 1 tf

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 4, 7:13 p. m. — Third Quarter 19, 0:31 a. m.
Full Moon 12, 8:22 a. m. — New Moon 26, 8:43 a. m.

The Morning Star

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 20, 1900.

For President:
WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President:
ADLAI E. STEVENSON, of Illinois.

For White Supremacy.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor:
CHARLES B. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

Lieutenant-Governor:
WILFRED D. TURNER, of Iredell.

Secretary of State:
J. BRYAN GRIMES of Pitt.

Treasurer:
BENJAMIN R. LACY of Wake.

Auditor:
B. F. DIXON, of Cleveland.

Attorney-General:
ROBERT D. GILMER, of Haywood.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing:
H. B. VARNER of Davidson.

Corporation Commissioners:
FRANKLIN M'NEILL, of New Hanover.
SAMUEL L. ROGERS of Macon.

Superintendent Public Instruction:
THOMAS F. TOON of Robeson.

Commissioner of Agriculture:
SAMUEL L. PATTERSON, of Caldwell.

For Judge of the Tenth District:
W. B. COUNCILL of Watauga.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator, 10th District:
GEORGE L. MORTON.

House of Representatives:
GEORGE ROUNTREE,
MARTIN S. WILLARD.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

For Sheriff:
FRANK H. STEDMAN.
Register of Deeds:
WM. H. BIDDLE.
Treasurer:
H. McL. GREEN.
Coroner:
WM. F. STOKES.
Surveyor:
JOSEPH H. McREE.
Constable—Wilmington Township:
WILLIAM SHEEHAN, Sr.

CARL SCHURZ ON FORAKER.

Senator Foraker recently delivered a speech justifying the course pursued by the Administration in undertaking to establish by arms our supremacy over the Philippines, asserting that we were justified by the right of arms and purchase. These are the two grounds of justification alleged by all defenders of our "criminal aggression" because they are the only plea they can make.

Carl Schurz is a Republican. For some years he has not been in accord with the party, but in all essentials when it adhered to its original principles he has adhered to it, and when he takes issue with it he does it as a Republican defending the principles of the party which he helped to build and make successful. He stood with the administration when it espoused the cause of Cuba, and remained with it until it ignored the fundamental principles of the Republic, and the principles on which the Republican party professed to be based, by buying sovereignty over the Philippines and then by force of arms undertaking to force the inhabitants of those islands to recognize that sovereignty. In a letter to the New York *Herald* he reviews the speech of Senator Foraker and pulls to tatters the plea he puts up in justification of the policy of taking possession by force by virtue of the right gained by purchase. Mr. Schurz says:

"When the surrender of Manila had been obtained, and we had sufficient troops on the ground to make us masters of the situation, and we began negotiations for peace with the common enemy, and our Filipino allies asked to be heard in these negotiations as to the future of their country, we slammed the door in their faces as if they had no right to their country at all. And behind their backs we bought them, as former Secretary Day avers, from the "common enemy," bought them like a drove of sheep, and we got the "common enemy"—Spain—to "cede" to us the sovereignty over the Philippines, a sovereignty which, as we well know, she had practically lost and could not deliver, and which, according to the principle emphatically affirmed by ourselves in the case of Cuba, Spain had forfeited to the people of the islands. And then, even before that peace treaty had been ratified, and while it was very uncertain whether it would ever be ratified, President McKinley, without any legal right, by a bold usurpation of power, ordered the army to enforce that spurious sovereignty upon the whole archipelago. And then, when the Filipinos, our late allies, asserting their title to freedom and independence upon the ground of our own professed principles, refused to be sold and bought like a herd of cattle, we destroyed by force of arms the government they had set up and proceeded to shoot them down. And we have continued ever since in this killing business because we covet their country.

Here are statements of facts that Mr. Foraker nor anyone else can successfully contradict for they are known to all who have kept up with the current of events since Admiral Dewey struck the blow that resulted in destroying the Spanish power in the Philippines. In this he had with him the Philippine army which the Spaniards called "rebels," what the expansionists call them now. This administration through its military and other representatives encouraged the Filipinos to fight for independence. We snatched it away from them when they were about to win it and began to shoot them down because they objected to our snatching away from them what they had been fighting for and what they thought they had won. They did it with the assistance of this country, it is true, but this country was then professing to be their disinterested friend. They trusted implicitly in its honor and it basely deceived and betrayed them.

As supplementary to the pleas justifying the use of force to establish supremacy they advance what might be called the commercial argument, or the argument of greed, which, after all, is the real argument with the average expansionist. Mr. Foraker refers to this and Mr. Schurz answers it thus:

"Every intelligent observer of current affairs knows that if we had treated the Philippine Islanders justly by recognizing their right to independence as we had promised to recognize that of the Cubans, we could have obtained from them for the mere asking whatever commercial advantages, and whatever coaling stations and other accommodations for our navy, and whatever facilities for developing the resources of the islands and for exercising and elevating influence among the natives we might have reasonably desired. We would have had all this without killing more than ten thousand Filipinos, without sacrificing the lives of thousands of our own people and wrecking the mental and physical vitality of many more thousand by service in the tropics, without keeping up a large army in the Philippine, costing our taxpayers scores of millions of year; without making the populations of those islands, even if we succeed in subjugating them, our mortal enemies, always eager to kindle a fire in our rear whenever we get into a quarrel with any other Power, and thus weakening instead of strengthening us; without ruining our moral credit with the world by perverting our loudly heralded 'war of liberation and humanity' into a vulgar land grabbing game, and by scandalously betraying our allies; without making our Southern neighbors distrustful of our purposes, and thus undermining the Monroe Doctrine; without throwing overboard the fundamental principles of our republican government and the high ideals of our people as they are embodied in the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the United States and the teachings of the greatest men in our history, and without thus utterly demoralizing our democracy."

When the war closed with Spain the administration would have been very well satisfied with one good port as a coaling station and base of supplies and it was not until after our peace commissioners had arrived in Paris that it decided to grab the whole archipelago, and that is the reason why Filipino representatives were not allowed to have any voice as to the terms between Spain and this country. If we had dealt honorably and squarely by the Filipinos they would have been devoted to us and in a spirit of gratitude they would have granted us all the port privileges we asked and remained our warm friends besides, and, as Mr. Schurz says, it wouldn't have cost us a life nor a dollar.

The baby act, the "we-have-the-wolf-by-the-ear" and "can't-let-go" rot, he disposes of thus:

"That multitudes of Republicans are troubled in their consciences about what has been done there can be no doubt. The apologetic tone of their very platform shows it. They should have the courage honestly to speak their minds. Many well meaning men try to soothe their scruples by saying: 'True, it is a sad affair, but what can we do? We have the wolf by the ears and cannot let go.' This is simply pleading the baby act. I have never heard a valid reason why we should not even now pacify the Philippine Islands by applying to them the same principle that we applied to Cuba, aid them in establishing an independent government suitable to their conditions, and meanwhile protect them against foreign inteference. The difficulties that may be in the way of this are not nearly as great as those we shall meet if we subjugate the islands and try to hold them in subjection. The trouble is not that we 'cannot let go,' but it is that men of power in politics, moved by a mistaken 'patriotism,' or by greed, will not let go. They will be obliged to let go as soon as the American people fully appreciate that moral side of the question which Senator Foraker confesses himself unable to see."

The whole Philippine question is embraced in these three extracts, which are put so plainly and forcibly that the average man who reads can understand them and draw the distinction between expansion proper and "criminal aggression."

The Havemeyer family seems to have been hoodooed. The Philadelphia *Press* publishes a list of ten "tragedies" that are said to have occurred in that family since 1862. Three killed, one killed by disappointment, one died of broken heart after being divorced, three divorced, one died under the surgeon's knife, one bitter contest over will and one widowed.

REGISTER NOW.

There are but two days left—today and to-morrow—for those to register who have not already done so.

The books close at sunset to-morrow and if your name is not on them you cannot vote.

Every white man who believes in the supremacy of the white man, and desires good government for himself and his children, should vote for it, and he can't vote unless he is registered.

No citizen who desires good government should take it for granted that it will be secured without his help and therefore be indifferent about registering, for his vote may be needed.

If many felt that way we might be beaten by our own indifference.

It is important not only that we win this victory, but that we make the majority so large that there will be no doubt as to where the white men of North Carolina stand, and no encouragement for the advocates of black supremacy to lay claim that they were cheated and undertake to contest the verdict.

There are white men enough in North Carolina in favor of white supremacy to give the amendment and the Democratic State ticket 50,000 majority if they all register.

But even if your vote were not needed, do you want to be a drone and let your more patriotic brothers do the fighting for you, and you stand idly by and give them no help?

No true citizen or true man should be willing to do that and enjoy the fruits of a victory which he refused to take a part in winning.

This fight is not for the men who are now drawing up in line, but a fight for their families, for their wives and children, and for you, your family, your wife and children, who look to them and to *you* for protection.

You can't protect, defend and put them beyond peril unless you get into line with your brothers, and you can't do that unless your name is on the voter's roll.

For you who believe in white supremacy it will be an *honor* roll, and one of your proudest recollections will be that *you* took part and by your vote helped to make white supremacy permanent in North Carolina, but you can't do that unless you are registered.

There are times when circumstances require every man to take position so that there may be no doubting as to where he stands. That time is now.

There is no half way or neutral ground. The issue is white or black.

You must be with the white or with the black.

You can't be with the white, your own race, unless you vote with them, and you can't vote with them unless you are registered.

Neglect no longer, but see that your name is registered now.

Don't be a sluggard while your brothers are striving, and don't let it be said that victory was lost through your indifference or lack of patriotism, or that you have no claim to the honor and glory of the victory when it is won.

White men, register now, if you have not already done so, and help to make white rule the rule for all time in North Carolina, and to make New Hanover the champion white supremacy county of the State.

PERFIDY AND DISHONOR

In his indignation at the way in which the Republicans in the Legislature turned down the Populists when the Fusionists controlled the Legislature, Marion Butler gave out the following in an interview:

"The treacherous and despicable methods and conduct of the Republican party in breaking their co operative contracts with the People's party and in corrupting a small fraction of our party in the Legislature, to secure Pritchard's election, and to control and divide out the State patronage to the unholy combine, makes it in the future the party of perfidy and dishonor in North Carolina."

He spoke the truth when he characterized the Republican party as a party of perfidy and dishonor, but he knew that when he dickered with its leaders and agreed on fusion to get his share of the spoils of office and patronage. And yet with that knowledge, and with this denunciation from his own mouth on record, he is going around this State, cheek by jowl with Pritchard, and doing his utmost to again sell and deliver his Populist followers, if he has any, to the Republican party which he denounces as a party of perfidy and dishonor. It is a party of perfidy and dishonor, but in that it bears no comparison to Butler, who is perfidy and treachery personified, now engaged in the infamous work of betraying his own people and trying to turn North Carolina over to negro rule, that he may profit by it.

Cold Steel or Death.

"There is but one chance to save your life and that is through an operation," was the awful prospect set before Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., by her doctor after vainly trying to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. He didn't count on the marvellous power of Electric Bitters to cure Stomach and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided the surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It is positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles, and never disappoints. Price 50c at R. R. BELLAMY'S druggist. †

A LIFE-LONG REPUBLICAN DECLARES FOR IT.

Every day adds to the list of Republicans and Populists who declare their purpose to support and vote for the constitutional amendment. One of the latest of the Republicans to do so is Prof. Allen Jones, of Davidson county, a teacher by profession, who has been a life-long Republican, and is at present, we are told by the Lexington *Dispatch*, an internal revenue officer, with a salary of $3.00 per day. But that does not prevent him from acting on his convictions, in such striking contrast to the large majority of those employed in that service. He has resolved to vote for white supremacy and gives his reasons for it in the following letter published in the *Dispatch*:

LEXINGTON, N. C., July 14, 1900.
Editor Lexington Dispatch:

DEAR SIR: Much has been said about the proposed amendment to the constitution of North Carolina. Some condemn and some commend it. I, for one, have read and re read it, have heard it discussed by both sides, and, so far, have been unable to do more than honestly recommend it to the voters of North Carolina for ratification. I shall vote its ratification myself and cordially invite my friends of all political parties to join me in so noble a cause, viz: the enthronement of white supremacy, from the mountains to the sea.

"The amendment disfranchises no white voter whose ancestors were voters prior to January the 1st, 1867, provided such voter gets his name on the registration book before 1908. The amendment affects only the colored voter whose ancestor was not a voter prior to January the 1st, 1867. I sincerely hope that every voter in North Carolina, irrespective of party affiliation, will cast his vote to reclaim his native State.

"Very respectfully,
"ALLEN JONES."

No man who reads the amendment with the honest intention of deciding for himself can fail to see that it is for the good of North Carolina, and for both races, and be a supporter of it, as every well disposed and patriotic citizen of the State is.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

Greensboro *Record*: Dr. D. A. Roberson, who has been ill at his home at Guilford College for some months, died Tuesday afternoon. He had Bright's disease, complicated with heart trouble and has been a great sufferer.

— Gastonia *Gazette*: A negro by the name of James White was killed in front of the residence of Dr. W. H. Hoffman last Friday night. Jim had left town on the 20th of May to escape arrest for selling whiskey. He was no doubt "on the blind," that night and in his efforts to get off the train was thrown against a cross tie and his skull broken.

— Lexington *Dispatch*: While fishing in Swearing Creek Saturday evening Mr. Jacob Koonts, of the Cotton Mills, caught a bull frog having five well-formed legs. His frogship uses his surplus leg the same as he does the others. Mr. Koonts still has it in his position and will keep it alive as long as possible.

— Weldon *News*: Mr. John W. Pugh, one of the oldest citizens of Northampton county, died at his home near South Gaston, last Saturday night in the 83rd year of his age. — We are informed by some of the Halifax county farmers that there is less corn planted this year than has been known for several years. The high price of cotton during the early spring induced farmers to try the old way of planting all cotton.

— Clinton *Democrat*: There seems to be some difficulty in the matter of getting registrars in some of the townships. On account of threats made some of them have resigned and there is some confusion over the matter. Letters have been written threatening registrars with personal violence. All his is calculated to intimidate men in the discharge of their duty. These threats do not help the situation and those who make them are subject to penalties of law. —— To explode the fallacy of the fusion charge that white men will be disfranchised by the Amendment the white supremacy Club of Clinton has offered $100 to any native born white citizen of this county who will be disfranchised because he cannot read and write.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— If it should become necessary to call for volunteers to go to China it is hardly likely that T. Roosevelt, Esq., would become one of the first to offer his services. San Juan hill seems to have accomplished what was desired.—*Chattanooga Times, Dem.*

—— The plot to blow up the Elysee Palace and the one directed at President McKinley are quite likely two of a kind, both on paper, with no real intention of a destructive character behind either of them. So far as developed, they look more like practical jokes than anything else, but it is a poor manifestation of humor, and does not amuse anybody in either country. — *New York Tribune, Rep.*

— Mrs. Conger, the wife of the United States minister to Pekin, is said to be a Christian Scientist. The other day the followers of the cult in Chicago resolved that they would "concentrate their thought upon Pekin, to the end of assisting their sister in trouble out of her difficulties." The Chicago Scientists are firm in the belief that their concentration of thought has been effective, and that the news will soon come that Mrs Conger, at least, is safe.—*Savannah News, Dem.*

—— "The American friends of Aguinaldo," says the Knoxville Journal, "may howl as much as they please, but Uncle Sam will inforce his authority in the Philippines. Call it 'coercion' or 'imperialism' or what you may, but that is going to be the end of it." The "end," it may be noted, appears to be farther off now than it was year before last. Your Uncle Sam seems to be making slow progress towards enforcing his "authority" in the Philippines. —*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

— Imaginary Wealth: "This man," said the keeper softly, "imagines he has millions." "Isn't that nice?" answered the visitor. "Whenever he needs money all he has to do is to draw on his imagination."—*Kansas City Times.*

"The Smith"

A mighty man is he," but he is not mighty enough to defy disease. It is a pitiful thing to see the strong man brought low, his muscles melting away until he can no more swing the heavy sledge to shape the glowing iron.

"I was troubled with malarial fever of about three years' standing and was under doctors' care for quite a time," writes Mr. J. R. Kidd, of Farmington, Wayne Co., Ky. "They had almost given me up, and my suffering was very great. My pulse was very weak, breath short and I had severe pains in the back, head and legs. Had palpitation of heart, and from June 1st, 1895, to May 1st, 1898, I was not able to do a day's work. I purchased five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and before I had finished taking the first two bottles I was very much better. I continued taking the medicine, and by the time the fifth bottle was gone I was a well man."

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cleanses the blood of the poisons which feed disease, cures diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition, and enables the proper assimilation of food. It is a flesh forming, muscle making medicine, making sound flesh and not flabby fat. It contains no whisky nor alcohol in any form.

GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY	FOR STOMACH BLOOD AND LUNGS.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted

☞ The following quotations represent wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

BAGGING—			
2 lb Jute	8½	@	9
Standard		@	9½
Burlaps	6	@	6½
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔	12½	@	15
Sides ℔		@	8
Shoulders ℔		@	8
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔	7⅝	@	7¾
Shoulders ℔		@	8
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each		@	1 45
Second-hand machine		@	1 50
New New York, each		@	1 45
New City, each		@	1 45
BEESWAX ℔		@	25
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	6 75	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔	20	@	25
Northern	25	@	30
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks	57½	@	58
Virginia Meal	59	@	60
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle	1 40	@	1 45
CANDLES—℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
CHEESE—℔—			
Northern Factory	12	@	13
Dairy Cream	13½	@	14
State	11½	@	12
COFFEE—℔—			
Laguyra	13	@	16
Rio	10	@	11
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5¾
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 ℔s		@	70
EGGS—℔ dozen	10	@	11
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ half-bbl	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel		@	4 00
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	7 00	@	7 75
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔	5	@	10
Extra	4 35	@	4 50
FLOUR—℔—			
Low grade	3 25	@	3 50
Choice		@	4 00
Straight	4 10	@	4 40
First Patent	4 50	@	5 00
GLUE—℔	10½	@	11½
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White	60	@	63
Car-load, in bgs—White	59	@	60
Oats, from store	38	@	40
Oats, Rust Proof		@	45
Cow Peas	90	@	1 00
HIDES—℔—			
Green salted		@	6½
Dry flint	10	@	12½
Dry salt		@	9
HAY ℔ 100 ℔s—			
No 1 Timothy		@	1 00
Rice Straw	40	@	50
Eastern	90	@	1 00
Western	90	@	1 00
North River		@	90
HOOP IRON, ℔	3¼	@	3½
LARD, ℔—			
Northern	7½	@	8¾
North Carolina	8	@	10
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15	@	1 20
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ℔ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	28	@	30
Porto Rico, in barrels	28	@	32½
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	15	@	25
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis		@	2 59
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess		@	13 50
Rump		@	14 50
Prime		@	13 00
ROPE, ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	1 25
Liverpool	90	@	95
American	85	@	90
On 125 ℔ Sacks		@	60
SHINGLES, 7-inch, per M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50	@	2 75
SUGAR, ℔—Standard Gran'd		@	6⅝
Standard A		@	6½
White Extra C		@	5¾
Extra C, Golden		@	5½
C Yellow		@	5⅜
SOAP, ℔—Northern	3¼	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	8 00	@	9 00
Common mill	4 00	@	5 00
Fair mill	5 00	@	6 00
Prime mill	6 50	@	7 50
Extra mill	8 00	@	9 00
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed			
℔ M 6x24 heart	4 25	@	5 00
" Sap	3 00	@	3 25
5x20 Heart	2 25	@	2 50
" Sap	1 60	@	1 75
TALLOW, ℔		@	
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon, Northern	1 00	@	2 10

TWINKLINGS.

— A Time-Saver—Parker—"Your wife tells me you have just bought her a new wheel." Lane—"Yes. She can now run home from the golf links and see the children occasionally."—*Detroit Free Press.*

— Not in His Line—"So the leading man refuses to play the title role in 'The Hunchback.' Why is that?" "He says he was engaged to play nothing but straight parts."—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.*

— Brown—"Jones tells me he is going to support McKinley this Fall." Mrs. Brown—"Yes, that's just like that good-for-nothing Jones; willing to support a stranger while his wife has to take in washing to support the family."—*Chicago News.*

— Rare, Indeed—Art Dealer—"Here's something fine. It's 'The Battle of Waterloo,' by Van Dyke." Markley—"Is it, really? I thought Van Dyke died before the battle occurred." Art Dealer—"Er—so he did. But—er—you see, this is one of his posthumous paintings."—*Philadelphia Press.*

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her. This marvellous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles 10c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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COMMERCIAL.

STAR OFFICE, July 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.20 per barrel for strained and $1.25 for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.70 per barrel for hard, $2.70 for dip, and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm at 40@39½c; rosin steady at 90@95c; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine firm at $1.35, 2.00@2.10.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	190
Rosin	672
Tar	21
Crude turpentine	186

Receipts same day last year.—166 casks spirits turpentine, 789 bbls rosin, 107 bbls tar, 113 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Nothing doing.

Same day last year middling quiet at 5⅝c.

Receipts—1 bale; same day last year, 00.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 77½@80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c.

CORN—Firm, 53 to 60 cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 85 cents; upland, 50@60 cents. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 11 to 12c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8½c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to 10.00 per M.

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Quotations on local securities, furnished and regularly corrected by Hugh MacRae & Co.:

STOCKS.

	BID.	ASKED.
A. C. L. of Conn., 5 per ct. Certs	110⅛	111¼
A. C. L. of Conn., stock	215	220
A. C. L. Common	63	65
A. C. L. preferred	102¼	103
W. & W. 7 per ct Certs	144½	147
N. C. R. R.	161⅝	162
Delgado Mills	102	103
Wilmington Cotton Mills, pfd	110	115
Wilmington Gas Light Co.	70	75
Carolina Insurance Co.	105	107
Underwriters' Insurance Co.	106	107
National Bank of Wilmington	120	...
Atlantic National Bank	201	...
Murchison National Bank	110	114
Wil. Savings & Trust Co.	230	...
Blue Ridge National Bank	112	116
Warren Manufac'ing Co., preferred	100¾	101½
Abbeville Cotton Mills	100	101½
Southern Cotton Mills	95	98
Piedmont Manufacturing Co.	...	189
Pacolet Manufacturing Co.	260	285
F. W. Poe Manufacturing Co (old)	117½	119
Anderson Cotton Mills	122	126
Pelzer Manufacturing Co.	187½	191
Gaffney Manufacturing Co.	124	126
Grendel Cotton Mills	101	103
Clifton Manufacturing Co.	188	194
Orr Manufacturing Co.	104	105½
McColl Manufacturing Co.	125	130
Darlington Manufacturing Co.	97	99½
Bennettsville Manufacturing Co.	115	117
BONDS.		
N. C. 4's	105¾	106½
N. C. 6's	135	136½
City Wilm, 5's, gold, 1922	110	112
City Wilm. 5's, 1919	100	...
City Wilm. 6's	100	...
Masonic Temple 1st 6's	105	...
Masonic Temple 2d 6's	...	100½
Wilmington Compress Co.'s 5's	85	...
A. C. L. 4's, certs	97	99
Wilmington & Weldon 5's	115½	117
Wilmington & Newbern 4's	101	102¼
N. H. County 5's, gold	100	103
Wilmington, gold 4's	99	101

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Money on call steady at 1¼@1½ per cent.; last loan at — per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¼ for demand and 483¾ for sixty days. Posted rates 484½@485 and 488. Commercial bills 483¼@483½. Silver certificates 61¼@62¼. Bar silver 61⅛. Mexican dollars 48¼. Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. refunding 2's reg'd, 104; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 103; U. S. 2's, reg'd, 100; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 109; do. coupon, 110¼; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 133; do. coupon, 134; U. S. old 4's, reg'd, 111½; do. coupon, 111¼; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113¼; do. coupon, 114¼; Southern Railway 5's 108⅛. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 75¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 27¼; Manhattan L 89¼; N. Y. Central 129¼; Reading 17; do. 1st pref'd 59¼; St. Paul 110⅝; do. pref'd 170¼; Southern Railway 11; do. pref'd 51¼; American Tobacco, 91; do. pref'd 123; People's Gas 98⅜; Sugar 124¼; do. pref'd 116¼; T. C. & Iron 67¼; U. S. Leather 8⅜; do. preferred 67¼; Western Union 79.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine quiet.

CHARLESTON, July 19.—Spirits turpentine firm at 43c; sales — casks. Rosin firm; sales — casks. Quotations unchanged.

SAVANNAH, July 19.—Spirits turpentine firm at 44¼; sales 253 casks; receipts 4,701 casks; exports — casks. Rosin firm; sales 1,395 barrels; receipts 4,701 barrels; exports 6,562 barrels.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 19.—To-days events in the cotton market were anything but smooth and regular. Influences bearing upon the market were numerous and conflicting while speculation much of the time was active. The market opened two points higher to three lower. A quick change of front on the part of Liverpool created distrust in local bull circles and later stampeded longs into an excited dash to unload cotton accumulated yesterday. The bear faction vigorously hammered the entire list, though directing efforts more especially against the August option, which for weeks past has been the football of both sides. From 9.42 that contract tumbled perpendicularly to 9.10, with the new crop months following at a lively rate. The cables portrayed a panic among holders abroad. The break in the English market was attributed to declaration of war against China by Russia, to exceptionally bearish crop reports from the South, and to the appearance of large selling orders from America. The decline here ceased, following a rally of three points abroad. From 9.10 August here quickly shot up to 9.26, after which there was another weak spot under fresh general selling, with August finally resting at 9.15. In the early afternoon shorts became apprehensive and in endeavoring to take profits forced the Summer delivery to 9.30. But once more liquidation swept prices downward and during the last hour fluctuations were radical in both directions, with the talent practically in control of the market. New Orleans backed up its bear principles by selling here on all the steadier intervals. The market closed steady in tone, with prices net five to nineteen points lower.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Cotton dull; middling uplands 10c.

Cotton futures market closed steady; July 9.71, August 9.21, September 8.66, October 8.35, November 8.22, December 8.18, January 8.19, February 8.21, March 8.23, April 8.26, May 8.29.

Spot cotton closed dull; middling uplands 10c; middling gulf 10¼c; sales 302 bales.

Net receipts 463 bales; gross receipts 776 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,848 bales; exports to the Continent 1,166 bales; stock 36,366 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 3,011 bales; exports to Great Britain 6,616; exports to the Continent 3,319 bales; stock 146,699 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 34,589 bales; exports to Great Britain 27,584 bales; exports to the Continent 16,486 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 6,441,590 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,239,576 bales; exports to France 698,029 bales; exports to the Continent 2,667,390 bales.

July 19.—Galveston, steady at 9⅛c, net receipts — bales; Norfolk, steady at 10c, net receipts 619 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10c, net receipts 264 bales; Wilmington, nothing doing, net receipts 1 bale; Philadelphia, firm at 10¼c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts — bales; New Orleans, quiet at 10 3-16, net receipts 772 bales; Mobile, nominal at 9¾, net receipts — bales; Memphis, steady at 9⅜c, net receipts 12 bales; Augusta, quiet at 9⅝c, net receipts 3 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9¾, net receipts 360 bales

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Flour steadier with wheat but still without important interest, jobbers doing about all of the business. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 84c. Options opened weak under disappointing cables, after which they recovered on war talk, a rally in late English markets, and a resumption of bullish spring wheat advices. An absence of short selling contributed to the afternoon firmness and the market closed strong on an active demand from shorts at ⅜@1c net advance; July closed 82½c; September closed 81⅝c; October closed 81; December closed 82½c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 46c. Options opened weak under liquidation and weak cables; rallied from this by enormous seaboard clearances, the market was firm all the afternoon and closed quite strong at ½c net advance; July closed 44½c; September closed 44¼c; December closed 41½c. Oats—Spot weaker; No. 2 28c: options dull. Lard steady; Western steam $7 04@7 05; July closed $7 02½, nominal; refined steady. Pork quiet Petroleum steady. Butter firm; creamery 16½@19½c; State dairy 15½@18½. Freights to Liverpool firm; cottonby steam 25d. Potatoes quiet; Chili $1 00@1 12½; Southern $1 00@1 25. Cheese weak; large white 9¼@9½c; small white 9⅝@9⅞c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 14@17c at mark. Cabbage quiet; Long Island, per 100, $1 00@1 50. Rice steady. Peanuts steady; fancy hand picked 4@4¼; other domestics 3@3¾c. Cotton seed oil was dull and about steady at old asking prices. Prime crude, in barrels, 33c, nominal; prime summer yellow 36½@37c; butter grades nominal; off summer yellow 36½c; prime winter yellow 40@41c; prime white 40c; prime meal $25 00@25 50. Coffee—Spot Rio strong; No. 7 invoice 9 15-16c; mild quiet; Cordova 9½@13½c. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining 4⅜; centrifugal 96 test 4⅞c; molasses sugar 4⅛c; refined firm.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Numerous denials of improvement in the Northwest were influential in rescuing wheat from its early slump to-day, September closing ⅞@1c over yesterday. Corn firm on an excellent cash demand, closing ⅜c higher. Oats closed unchanged and provisions 2½@5c lower.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Cash quotations: Flour easy. Wheat No. 2 spring —; No. 3 spring 70½@73½c; No. 2 red 76¾@77½c. Corn—No. 2, 38¼@38⅞c. Oats—No. 2 23¼@25¼c; No. 2 white 25¼@27; No. 3 white 24½@26¼c. Pork, per barrel, $10 55@11 60. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 50@6 65. Short rib sides, loose, $6 60@6 90. Dry salted shoulders, $6 75@7 00. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 25@7 35. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 23

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July 74¼, 75¾, 74¼, 75¼c; August 74@74¼, 76⅛, 74, 76⅛c; September 75@75⅛, 77⅛, 75, 77⅛c. Corn—No. 2 July 37¾, 38¼, 37¾, 38¼c; August 37¼@37⅞, 38¼, 37⅛, 38⅜c; September 37½@38, 39, 37½, 38⅜c. Oats—July 23, 23, 22¾, 22¾c; August 23¼@23, 23, 22¼, 23c; September 23¼, 23⅜, 23, 23⅜. Pork, per bbl—July $11 50, 11 50, 11 50, 11 50; September $11 67½, 11 67½, 11 62½, 11 65. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 65, 6 65, 6 62½, 6 62½; September $6 70, 6 70, 6 65, 6 67½; October $6 72½, 6 72½, 6 67½, 6 72½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $6 70, 6 70, 6 70, 6 20; September $6 75, 6 75, 6 70, 6 72½; October $6 70, 6 70, 6 67½, 6 70.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 19, 4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot, small business, prices higher; middling fair at 6 7-16; good middling 6 3-32d; middling 5 31-32d; middling 5 23-32d; good ordinary 5 23-32d; ordinary 5 17-32d. The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 3,400 American. Receipts 1,400 bales, all American.

Futures opened firm and closed barely steady. American middling (l. m. c.) July 5 44 64d seller; July and August 5 43-64d value; August and September 5 17-64d buyer; September and October 4 58-64@4 59 64d seller; October and November 4 44-64d seller; November and December 4 37 64@4 38 64d buyer; December and January 4 34 64@4 35 64d buyer; January and February 4 32 64@4 33 64d buyer; February and March 4 30-64@4 31 64d value; March and April 4 29-64@4 30-64d buyer.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—8 casks spirits turpentine, 42 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 27 casks spirits turpentine, 196 barrels rosin, 3 barrels tar, 28 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—72 casks spirits turpentine, 56 barrels rosin.

C. C. Railroad—8 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels rosin, 16 barrels tar, 48 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Seabright—34 casks spirits turpentine, 125 barrels rosin.

Steamer W. T. Daggett—18 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin, 23 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Croesus—4 barrels crude turpentine.

Schooner Ruth J.—15 casks spirits turpentine, 85 barrels rosin.

Schooner Leah—6 barrels crude turpentine.

C. Larkins' flat—8 casks spirits turpentine, 40 barrels rosin, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—Cotton, 1 bale; spirits turpentine, 190 casks; rosin, 672 barrels; tar, 21 barrels; crude turpentine, 186 barrels.

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Atlantic National Bank,
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At the Close of Business June 29th, 1900, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.

Loans		$ 771,179.73
Overdrafts		282.50
U. S. Bonds (at par)		216,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures		10,000.00
Due from app'd res've agt's	$127,965.57	
Due from other banks	174,879.74	
Cash on hand	87,593.69	390,439.00
Total		$1,388,001.23

LIABILITIES.

Capital		$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits		107,963.78
Circulation		65,600.00
Deposits U. S. Treas	$130,875.00	
Deposits from Banks	114,034.77	
Deposits from individuals	844,527.68	1,089,437.45
Total		$1,388,001.23

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	June 29 '98.	June 29, '99.	June 29, 1900
Total deposits	$560,500	$847,700	$1,089,400
Surplus and net profits	79,700	92,700	107,900
U.S. bonds at par	40,100	95,600	216 100

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF—

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK,

OF WILMINGTON, N. C.
At the close of business June 29, 1900.
(Began business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$374,141.07	Capital Stock	$200,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	3,135.00	Profits less expenses	27,818.54
U. S. Bonds	195,100.00	Circulation	147,950.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	6,572.00	Deposits	394,122.77
Five per cent. redemption fund	7,400.00		
Revenue Stamps	456.00		
Office Furniture	750.00		
Cash on hand and in Banks	182,337.24		
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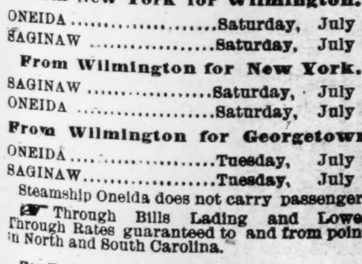

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THE AMENDMENT.

Full Text of the Measure as Amended.

No Chance for Legal Squibbling—The Act Must Stand or Fall as a Whole.

[*Raleigh News & Observer.*]

Both houses of the Legislature yesterday (Wednesday) passed the Constitutional Amendment as revised and amended by the Constitutional Amendment committee and approved by the Democratic caucus. It is now fixed finally as it will be voted upon. Very few changes were made. The chief changes are:

1. Section 4 and 5 are made one.

2. The Educational and Grandfather slauses are made one and it is expressly declared that the whole scheme of uffrage is indivisible.

3. Poll tax must be paid in May instead of March as in the amendment as originally adopted.

4. This provision in the original amendment is omitted in the amendment now submitted:

"Poll taxes shall be a lien only on assessed property, and no process shall issue to enforce the collection of the snme except against assessed property."

5. A majority of the vote cast will be sufficient to adopt the amendment —not a majority of "qualified" voters.

The amendment as ratified last night is as follows:

6. It is provided and made perfectly plain that a man who registers under the grandfather clause shall forever have the right to vote.

An Act Supplemental to an Act Entitled "An Act to Amend the Constitution of North Carolina," ratified February 21st, 1899, the same being Chapter Two Hundred and Eighteen of the Public Laws of 1899.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That Chapter 218, Public Laws of 1899, entitled, "An Act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina," be amended so as to make said act read as follows:

"That article 6 of the Constitutional of North Carolina be, and the same is hereby abrogated, and in lieu thereof shall be substituted the following article of said Constitution as an entire and indivisible plan of suffrage:"

ARTICLE VI.

SUFFRAGE AND ELIGIBILITY TO OFFICE.

Section 1. Every male person born in the United States, and every male person who has been naturalized, twenty-one years of age, and possessing the qualifications set out in this Article, shall be entitled to vote at any election by the people in the State, except as herein othewise provided.

Sec. 2. He shall have resided in the State of North Carolina for two years, in the county six months, and in the precinct, ward or other election district, in which he offers to vote, four months next preceding the election: Provided, that removal from one precinct, ward or other election district, so another in the same county, shall not operate to deprive any person of the right to vote in the precinct, ward or other election district from which he has removed until four months after such removal. No person who has been convicted, or who has confessed his guilt in open court upon indictment, of any crime, the punishment of which now is, or may hereafter be, imprisonment in the State's Prison, shall be permitted to vote unless the said person shall be first restored to citizenship in the manner prescribed by law.

Sec. 3. Every person offering to vote shall be at the time a legally registered voter as herein prescribed and in the manner hereafter provided by law, and the General Assembly of North Carolina shall enact general registration laws to carry into effect the provisions of this article.

Sec. 4. Every person presenting himself for registration shall be able to read and write any section of the Constitution in the English language; and, before he shall be entitled to vote, he shall have paid on or before the first day of May, of the year in which he proposes to vote, his poll tax for the previous year as prescribed by Article 5, Section 1, of the Constitution. But no male person, who was, on January 1st 1867 or at any time prior thereto, entitled to vote under the laws of any State in the United States wherein he then resided, and no lineal descendant of any such person shall be denied the right to register and vote at any election in this State by reason of his failure to possess the educational qualification herein described: Provided, he shall have registered in accordance with the terms of this section prior to December 1. 1908.

The General Assembly shall provide for the registration of all persons entitled to vote without the educational qualifications herein prescribed, and shall, on or before November 1st, 1908, provide for the making of a permanent record of such registration, and all persons so registered, shall forever thereafter have the right to vote in all elections by the people in this State, unless disqualified under Section 2 of this article: Provided, such person shall have paid his poll tax as above required.

Sec. 5. That this Amendment to the Constitution is presented and adopted as one indivisible plan for the regulation of the suffrage, with the intent and purpose to so connect the different parts, and to make them so dependent upon each tother, that the whole shall stand or fall together.

Sec. 6. All elections by the people shall be by ballot, and all elections by the General Assembly shall be viva voce.

Sec. 7. Every voter in North Carolina, except as in this article disqualified, shall be eligible to office, but before entering upon the duties of the office, he shall take and subscribe the following oath: "I, ... do solemnly swear (or affirm), that I will support and maintain the Constitution and laws of the United States, and the Constitution of North Carolina, not inconsistent therewith, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of my office, as .... so help me God."

Sec. 8. The following classes of persons shall be disqualified for office: First, all persons who shall deny the being of Almighty God.

Second, all persons who shall have been convicted, or confessed their guilt on indictment pending; and whether sentenced or not, or under judgment suspended, of any treason or felony, or any other crime for which the punishment may be imprisonment in the Penitentiary, since becoming citizens of the United States, or of corruption or malpractice in office; unless such person shall be restored to the rights of citizenship in a manner prescribed by law.

Sec. 9. That this amendment to the Constitution, shall go into effect on the first day of July, 1902, if a majority of the votes cast at the next general election shall be cast in favor of this suffrage amendment.

Sec. 11. This amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted at the next general election to the qualified voters of the State, in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations as is provided in the law regulating general elections in this State, and at said elections those persons desiring to vote for such amendment shall cast a written or printed ballot with the words "For Suffrage Amendment" thereon; and those with a contrary opinion shall cast a written or printed ballot with the words "Against Suffrage Amendment" thereon.

Sec. III. The votes cast at said election shall be counted, compared, returned and canvassed, and the result announced and declared under the same rules and regulations, and in the same manner as the vote for Governor, and if a majority of the votes cast are in favor of the said amendment, it shall be the duty of the Governor of the State, upon being notified of the result of said election, to certify said amendment, under the seal of the State, to the Secretary of the State, who shall enroll the said amendment so certified among the permanent records of his office.

Sec. IV. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

ARMOUR AS A BRAKEMAN.

The Millionaire's Brief and Unsuccessful Railroad Career.

The late George A. Sheldon, depot master of the Lake Shore station, who died after 46 years of continuous service with the Lake Shore company, was a veritable encyclopedia of railroad incident, and his well told tales if repeated in his own select phrase would rank as classic literature. His narrations were confined to actualities, thus giving them a real value. He was many years a conductor, and among the best of the incidents he related is the following:

"One day there stepped aboard my train a well dressed, business appearing man who as he tendered his fare remarked:

"'I see you are still on the road, Mr. Sheldon.'

"'Yes, I am still at it,' I replied, 'but I am not certain that I remember you, though I think I have seen you before.'

"'Yes, you have seen me before,' emphasized the passenger, 'and while you doubtless have forgotten it I still remember that you once did me the greatest favor of my life. Come to my seat when you get time, and I'll tell you about it.'

"When I had finished collecting fares, I dropped into the stranger's seat, and he continued: 'Years ago I was four days brakeman aboard your train. At the end of the four days you took me aside and remarked in a tone of sympathy: 'I'm sorry to have to tell you so, but the fact is, young man, you are too much of a fool to ever make a good railroader. Take my advice and quit.' I took your advice and went into other business, and the result is I made a fair fortune. I thank you, Mr. Sheldon, for your wise counsel.'

"'What is your name?' I asked.

"'Phil D. Armour of Chicago,' replied my ex-brakeman, 'and I shall always remember your kindness. I was a stupid railroader, and you advised me for my good.'

"Until this interview," added Mr. Sheldon, "I never suspected that Philip D. Armour, the packer, was the brakeman I discharged years before."—Adrian (Mich.) Cor. Detroit News.

Sizes In Shoes.

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"If shoes, like hats, could be graded by eighths of an inch, she could take refuge in a 3⅞ shoe and yet be comparatively happy. From No. 4½ to No. 5 is still a greater trial to feminine nerves, and in the realm of 6's—well, few women speak of that size to any one else but the dealer."—Washington Star.

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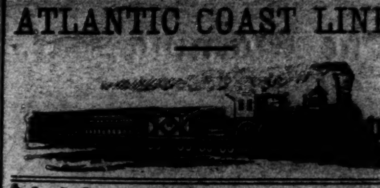

Schedule in Effect May 27, 1900

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.35 A. M. — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.10 A. M., Warsaw 11.24 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.48 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg 6.28 P. M., Richmond 7.25 P. M., Norfolk 5.5 P. M., Washington 11.20 P. M., Baltimore 1.03 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.15 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.37 A. M., Richmond 3.28 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.20 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 6.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.44 P. M., Chadbourn 5.25 P. M., Marion 6.29 P. M., Florence 7.10 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.55 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 10.10 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. — No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. — No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.00 P. M., New York *9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.58 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.55 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.22 P. M., Magnolia 4.35 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A. M. — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.07 P. M., Richmond 6.50 P. M., Petersburg 7.33 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.03 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.25 A. M., Leave Wilson 5 57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.28 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.26 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.20 P. M. — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.10 A. M., Sanford 12.05 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 2.10 A. M., Charleston 6.48 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.24 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.29 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.08 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 A. M. — No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.05 A. M. Maxton 9.10 A. M., Red Springs 9.46 A. M., Hope Mills 10.32 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.17 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.06 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 6.40 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.35 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 9.00 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.20 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.20 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 7.45 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 6.45 A. M. and 10.50 A. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 3.25 P. M., Manning 6.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.43 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M.; 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

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Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 2.48 P. M. 11.24 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.19 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.58 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.41 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.54 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.33 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.06 A. M., Creston 4.54 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.55 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.24 P. M., Creston 5.22 P. M., Sumter 6.10 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrive Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning, leave Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrive Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 1.50 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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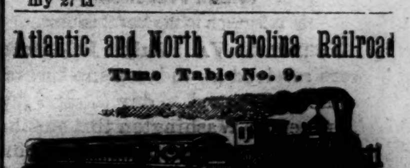

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FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 20, 1900.

THE INDUSTRIAL CONVENTION

Address on the Commercial Conditions of the South Rejected After a Heated Discussion.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., July 19.—At the second day's session of the Southern Industrial Convention here, the public address on the commercial conditions of the South, prepared by a special committee, was rejected after a heated discussion. The delegates held that the address was an endorsement of the Republican platform in many particulars, and did not think politics should enter into their organization.

D. A. Tompkins, of North Carolina, spoke in opposition to the clauses endorsing the political currency system and relating to the protection of American labor.

B. W. Blackburn, of Atlanta, said the address was a direct endorsement of the Republican platform. "If this address is stamped with approval from this convention" he said, "you place a bludgeon in the hands of Hanna and his campaign committee to weild over the heads of this section."

C. E. Sanders and R. L. Bennett, both of Mississippi, opposed the address.

Mr. Tompkins said if there was anything good in the address it should be accepted, without regard to politics.

L. L. Gilbert, of Alabama, moved that a committee of seven be appointed to draw up a new address on industrial lines, instead of political lines. The motion was adopted.

The organization committee will consider the following resolution from Mr. Frowell, of South Carolina:

"*Resolved*, That the Southern Industrial Leagues should be formed all over the South, in every county and town, with the purpose of developing our resources, and that a committhe of three from each State be appointed by this League to take the matter up and get these leagues in working order by our next convention."

The convention, after hearing several addresses on industrial subjects, adjurned until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

THE THIRD PARTY.

Committee Appointed to Meet in Indianapolis, Ind., July 24th and Call a Convention.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Thomas M. Osborne, chosen chairman by the Independents at the meeting at the Plaza Hotel last night and empowered to choose a committee to go to Indianapolis July 25th, named a committee on plan and scope to-day. Among the members are Dr. William Everett, Quincy, Mass.; Albert Warren Kelser, Philadelphia; George C. Ripley, Minneapolis; William J. Palmer, Colorado Springs; Col. Thos. M. Rogers, St. Louis.

Mr. Osborne expects to have a representative from every State and if possible from as many Congressional districts as possible. The committee will meet in Indianapolis on July 24th, and form a plan for the selection of a third ticket, on which all independents—Gold Democrats, Anti-Imperialists, and others can join. The Gold Democrats will meet in Indianapolis July 25th, and the plan will be to have the committee call a convention, at which all parties now opposing the candidates of the two old parties can meet and unite on a third ticket and adopt a platform approved by both Gold Democrats and Anti-Imperialists, and also by Republicans dissatisfied with McKinley and Democrats dissatisfied with Bryan for any reason whatever.

Mr. Klein said the committee would prepare a plan for a third ticket irrespective of what the Gold Democrats did.

BATTLESHIP OREGON.

Will Patch at Kure, Japan, and Then Go to Taku, China.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Navy Department this morning received the following dispatch from Captain Wilde, of the Oregon, dated Kure, July 18:

"Oregon and Nashville arrived at Kure at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Expect to dock on the 19th. Shall I make permanent or temporary repairs? I would suggest putting on steel patches which can be done in a very short time and ship then go back to her duty or Taku. To make permanent repairs will require at least sixty days; probably more. Not a single man injured in anyway.

"WILDE."

To this Secretary Long at once replied as follows:

"Universal rejoicing over safety of Oregon. She is the Constitution of this generation. If the safety of the Oregon permits, patch and go to Taku. I commend your preference for service there. LONG."

ORDERED TO CHINA.

Marines from Norfolk Navy Yard En Route to San Francisco.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., July 19.—Orders were received at the marine barracks of the navy yard to day to send fifty-four men to Washington this evening, where they will join a battalion which leaves Sunday for San Francisco, thence to China. This leaves 142 men at the barracks, 80 of whom are raw recruits.

"I have received telegraphic instructions from General Heywood, commandant of the marine corps," said the commanding officer to-day, "to drill the recruits as rapidly as possible, so that they may be forwarded to China at the earliest possible moment. One hundred and thirty men have been withdrawn from here within the past month." The fifty-four men left on the Washington steamer to night.

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NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION.

No Authentic Advices Received from Pekin As to Foreign Legations.

LI HUNG CHANG'S REPORT.

Says Ministers Were Alive July 8th—France and Germany Recognize That a State of War Exists—Fighting in Manchuria.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 20, 4 A. M.—"The Washington idea of sending Mr. Rockhill to China," says the *Standard* editorially, this morning, "is an excellent one and might advantageously be imitated by the British and other governments."

The *Standard* then proceeds to comment upon the great ignorance prevalent in Europe not only of recent events, but of Chinese affairs generally. The cabinet council convened by Lord Salisbury yesterday came a day earlier than usual, and it is expected that it will be followed by a statement in Parliament throwing light upon the situation.

The Chinese assertions that the members of the foreign legations are still safe have been so often repeated that they are again beginning to raise hopes in some quarters. According to the *Daily Telegraph's* St. Petersburg correspondent, however, the Russian government is already in possession of definite news that all the foreigners in Pekin were massacred on July 6.

The Yokohama correspondent of the *Daily Mail*, who repeats his statements regarding the jealousy felt among the allies on the subject of a Japanese commander-in-chief, and the general lack of unity among them, adds: "The Japanese correspondents charge the Russian soldiers with appalling barbarity toward the Chinese. They declare that the Pieho is full of the corpses of women and children and that the Russians loaded 300 bodies on a junk and burned them.

Shanghai reports that three mission stations on Po Yank lake have been destroyed, but it is believed that the missionaries escaped. All the missionaries in Chinese Manchuria have arrived in safety at Vladivostock.

It is rumored that Tu Lu, the missing viceroy of the province of Chi Li, has committed suicide. Various conflicting stories are published of the manner of Gen. Nieh's death.

It is stated that when the allies entered the native city of Tien Tsin they found the Chinese dead piled breast high and it was feared that this would result in an outbreak of pestilence. Sixteen of the captured guns are quite modern weapons.

The Shanghai correspondent of the *Times* expresses doubt that the southern viceroys will be able to withstand the pressure of the provincial officials to join the anti-foreign movement. He thinks that already there are signs of wavering.

A State of War Recognized.

LONDON, July 19.—The action of Count Von Buelow, the German minister of foreign affairs, in informing the Chinese legation at Berlin that all telegraphic messages must be in plain language and submitted for approval by the censor, and the suggestion of M. DelCasse, the French minister of foreign affairs, that the exporation of arms to China be prohibited, which are generally regarded here as long step in the direction of treating China as a state engaged in war, have been supplemented this morning by the official announcement from St. Petersburg that certain portions of the Amur territory, including parts of the Khabarovsk district and the coast territory, as well as the town of Blagovestchensk, Khabarovsk and Nikolskussuri have been declared in a state of war since July 17th.

Russia's announcement is regarded in London as at least foreshadowing a speedy unconditional recognition of the fact that a condition of war exists between China and the civilized world, and the general opinion seems to favor such recognition as the best means of meeting the barbarian upheaval, while at the same time endeavoring to isolate the independent viceroys from the general conflagration.

British Troops Arriving.

BERLIN, July 19.—A dispatch from Taku received here to-day, says the first steamer bringing Indian troops to China arrived there Monday, July 16.

LONDON, July 19.—A dispatch from Shanghai, received here to-day, reports that the loss of the Chinese in the fighting at Tien Tsin was upwards of 3,000.

It is understood that Lieutenant General Sir Francis Grenfell will have charge of the British forces in China.

Li Hung Chang.

HONG KONG, July 18.—Li Hung Chang and his suite arrived here yesterday evening and landed this morning. Li Hung Chang was received with a salute of seventeen guns, and with a guard of honor from the Welch Fusiliers and band proceeded to the government house. He was extremely reticent, but stated that he had received definite news that the ministers and foreigners at Pekin, with the exception of Baron von Ketteler, the German minister, were safe July 8.

The imperial edict recalling him to Pekin, the viceroy said, was due to the Empress and Emperor, and not to Prince Tuan.

The governor of Canton is regarded as an exceptionally weak official, and the natives fear he will never succeed in maintaining order.

A transport with a portion of the Bengal lancers, a native field hospital, and Generals Gazelee and Barrow, has proceeded to Taku. The deck-protected cruiser Dido has gone to Woo Sung.

At Tien Tsin.

BERLIN, July 19.—A report has been forwarded by Count Von Usedom, of the German second class cruiser Hertha, of the capture of the native city of Tien Tsin by the allied forces. The report says: "Scarcely any resistance was experienced when the Americans, British and Japanese finally stormed the walled native city on the afternoon of July 14th. Fighting was still in progress on the side of the town where the Russians were trying to seize a Chinese camp. On the morning of July 15th, Russian flags were flowing from the Chinese camp and citadel."

Another Shanghai Telegram.

PARIS, July 19.—An official telegram from Shanghai, dated July 18th, states that according to the Governor of Shan Tung, the foreign ministers and their families at Pekin are safe and sound, but that the danger is still very great. The viceroy, according to this dispatch, informed the consular corps that he had telegraphed to Pekin urging the protection of the foreign legations.

Situation at Pekin July 1st.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Japanese legation here has made public the latest communication received by it from Baron Nissi, the Japanese minister at Pekin This telegram was received to-day at the legation from the Japanese minister of foreign affairs and is important because of the dates given. The telegram was dated July 13 by the sender, the Japanese consul at Che Foo, and is as follows:

"I received at 10 A. M., on the 12th, a dispatch from Baron Nissi, dated Pekin, June 29th. The letter was brought by a special messenger—a Chinese—who left Pekin July 1 and managed to make the journey with great difficulty. The substance of the letter is as follows:

"'The situation at Pekin is extremely critical. The foreign legations are surrounded on all sides by Chinese soldiers and bombarded night and day. The members of the legations, the guards and residents are resisting to the utmost, but the overwhelming numbers of the enemy make opposition useless; our ammunition is being exhausted; our lives are in such danger that we may be massacred at any moment. We earnestly request the immediate dispatch of reinforcements for our rescue from our precarious condition.'"

The Japanese consul at Che Foo adds that he communicated this letter to his colleagues of the consular body there and also to the commanders in-chief of the forces of the powers.

Another cablegram received here through the foreign office from the Japanese consul at Che Foo reports that Tien Tsin castle was captured by the forces of the allies on the 14th and the safety of the foreign settlements is assured. Japanese troops took possession of Susse-Ying, the Chinese naval station on the 14th.

RUSSIANS DEFEAT CHINESE.

Fighting in Manchuria—The Siberian Railroad Closed—Russian Advance on Pekin Delayed.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 20, 4 P. M.—The Russians, according to the latest news from St. Petersburg, have now completely defeated the Chinese and have occupied the capital of the Amur government with a large force. Since Gen. Gribski, chief of staff at Fort Arthur, has taken over the supreme command in Manchuria, reinforcements have been rapidly pushed up and the general situation has been greatly improved. The Russian Minister of the Interior has issued a notice that the Siberian railway is closed to private traffic. There is little doubt that the Russian authorities were not prepared for such an organized Chinese movement in Manchuria, but they have taken brisk measures, and they believe that China will soon be too much pre-occupied with military operations around Pekin to conduct serious operations in the north.

The *Daily Mail's* Shanghai correspondent says: Advices from Vladivostock state that the Chinese invasion of Eastern Siberia has stopped the Russian advance from the north on Pekin. The Russians have burned the Chinese town of Helampo and are adopting very vigorous measures.

Berlin telegrams dwell upon the immense German interests in southeastern Siberia. They say that the many German merchants, the German employes and the immense stores of merchandise belonging to Germans in that territory, will compel Germany to cooperate with Russia in resisting the Chinese.

Gen. Sir Arthur Power Palmer, commander-in-chief in India, said in the course of an interview in Simla yesterday, that no more British troops could be sent from India unless they could be replaced from South Africa.

THE CASE OF NEELY.

Further Testimony to Be Heard on the Application for Extradition.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Judge Lacombe, of the U. S. Circuit Court, to-day rendered an opinion in the case of Charles F. W. Neely, charged with having defrauded the U. S. postal department in Cuba, in which he declared that the mere presentation of an indictment cannot be held sufficient for Neely's extradition, and that further testimony will be heard when the case comes up on July 23.

WARM WIRELETS.

The President has issued proclamation putting in force the reciprocity treaty with Italy.

Frank Erne has deposited $1,000 to bind a match with Terry McGovern for the light-weight championship of the world at 133 pounds.

Cardinal Francis Satolli, the first papal delegate to this country, has been appointed prefect of the Propaganda, by Pope Leo XIII.

After a stay of two days in Washington the President started back for Canton last night. With him went Secretary Cortelyou, Colonel Webb Hayes and William Barber, the President's nephew.

The president has appointed Brigadier General A. R. Chaffee, U. S. V., who is to command the American military forces in China, a major general of volunteers, in order that his rank should be commensurate with his command.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Result of Base Ball Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

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St. Louis—St. Louis 3; New York 8.

Cincinnati—Cincinnati 8; Brooklyn 12.

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CORDIAL WITH MINISTER WU.

No Restriction to Be Placed Upon His Liberty—Instructions Sent to Gen. Chaffee—A Special Commissioner to Go to China.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—In the absence of direct news from China this morning, attention was directed mainly to the more or less speculative stories emanating from European capitals indicative of discord among the powers. It is realized that these little bulletins of mutual suspicion always characterized allied movements, and so are to be expected in the present case. It can be stated that, so far as official records disclose, there is absolutely no ground for them.

Our government having fully defined its intentions in Secretary Hay's note of July 3d, the other governments interested in the Chinese situation have entered into the spirit of that declaration of principle with perfect accord. At least that is the record, both written and oral, and Russia, a power more than any other under suspicion in these stories, has not been backward in assuring the State Department of the coincidence of Secretary Hay's declaration with Russia's purpose in China. It is, of course, possible, that some of the powers are swayed by motives that do not appear in their formal declarations. The State Department, however, cannot go behind their formal expression and can now only await results.

There is not the slightest disposition on the part of our government to follow the example of certain European powers and restrict in any measure the liberty of the Chinese minister here, Mr. Wu, in communicating with the Chinese viceroys and whatever remains of the titular Chinese government. On the contrary, crediting the minister with an earnest desire to do everything in his power to protect foreigners in the Chinese empire, and confident that he has no sympathy with the insurrectionary Boxer element, the State Department regards it as good policy to facilitate rather than obstruct his communication with the Chinese viceroys. Acting itself on this theory, the department does not credit the stories that any of the Chinese ministers in Europe have been given their passports.

If there should be a declaration of war by Russia on China, based on what is said to have occurred on the Siberian border, the technical relations of the allied powers towards China might, it is said here, undergo a radical change. It is believed that the story of Boxer activity is greatly exaggerated so far as it relates to the country north of the Siberian border, and it is hoped that the troubles have been confined to Manchuria. But if war should actually and formally open between Russia and China, that fact might oblidge the other powers to do one of two things; either join in the declaration of war, or withdraw their forces from Chinese soil.

Minister Wu and Mr. Wollant, the Russian charge, again called upon Secretary Hay this morning, but neither had news from China.

Developments in the military situation to-day were the formal designation of Brigadier General Chaffee as a major general of volunteers and making of other arrangements for a prolonged campaign on a large scale in China. The officials hope that it will be short; but they are preparing to send coal and winter clothing, so they are getting ready for the other contingency.

Instructions to Chaffee.

At to day's cabinet meeting the question of instructions to Major General Chaffee was gone over at considerable length and a cablegram was drafted which will be forwarded to reach him on his arrival at Nagasaki. These instructions are of a diplomatic as well as of a military nature and indicate the line of policy to be pursued by the commander of the United States forces in China. The exact nature of the instructions was not disclosed, but it can be stated on good authority that they follow the same line of policy that already has been outlined in the statement from the State Department.

The rank of major general of the commander of the Chinese expedition will necessitate the presence of two or perhaps three brigadier generals in China. These, in all probability, will be chosen from the officers of that rank now in the Philippines, but General Chaffee will be given considerable latitude in the selection of his staff.

Special Commissioner.

W. W. Rockhill, director of the Bureau of American Republics, has been appointed a special commissioner from this country to go to China and report upon the situation.

For some reason the officials did not care to have it known that Mr. Rockhill had been selected for this responsible duty. Within a week he will have a final conference with the President and Secretary Hay and then will leave for China.

Cranks and Agitators.

The government authorities are finding that the present Chinese situation is having the usual effect of stimulating cranks and agitators, and many of the highest officials are receiving anonymous letters containing advice, and sometimes threats. The Chinese officials are also victims of foolish effusions. They are not considered seriously, however, and the officials, both government and Chinese, dismiss them as silly, from ignorant persons. On their face, some of these communications look belligerent, but their illiteracy and braggadocio modify their effect. The governmeut officials express regret that in the delicate position in which the country is placed at this time it should be embarrassed by anonymous writers, and steps are being quietly taken to apprehend the guilty parties.

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BUTLER MAKES A DESPERATE EFFORT

To Defeat the Will of the People of the State of North Carolina and Intimidate Registrars.

Dispairing of carrying the election by fair means Butler now resorts to more flagrant, desperate and despicable means to intimidate the registrars of the East than were resorted to by Holton and his revenue gang in the West.

In persuance of this fatuous policy he is sending telegrams to his henchmen in various sections directing them to take out warrants for the arrests of white registrars before United States Commissioners for properly refusing to register negroes who are not entitled to vote and before justices of the peace for refusing to register white men who may be disfranchised.

He is also sending out circulars with the same view of intimidating registrars; a copy of which is as follows:

PEOPLE'S PARTY, STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,
RALEIGH, N. C., July 18th.

MY DEAR SIR: I have already sent you blank form of affidavit and warrant for the arrest of any registrar who violates Section 5501 of the Federal Election Laws, but, as you know, this law only covers discriminations against the negro voter. We have had the Democratic registrar at Winston arrested, tried, and bound over under a two thousand dollar bond to the Federal Court for violating that section of the Federal Election Law. As soon as this proceeding was over, the Democratic politicians had our witnesses in that case arrested under a bogus form of procedure We are taking steps to day to have everyone of these politicians who took part in having those witnesses arrested, jerked up for contempt of Federal Court, and we will do it everywhere. So you can assure witaesses that if they are intimidated, we will punish to the full extent of the law every man who intimidates them in any way and land these intimidators in the Federal penitentiary.

During the last few days, I have had many complaints from different parts of the State saying the registrars are now refusing to register white men who are legally qualified. There are two remedies that you have against a registrar for this offence. One is under Section 47 of the election law, which says that any registrar who fails to "perform the duties required of him shall be fined not less than five hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or imprisoned not more than six months nor less than two months." Besides, the same section, as you will see from reading on down, provides that the Attorney General can sue every registrar and recover five hundred dollars in addition to the above penalty. Read this section of the election law to the registrar in your precinct. If he has refused to register anyone qualified to register, or if he has failed to open his books at the hour prescribed on every Saturday at the polling place, or if he has failed to have his books opened at his house or place of business on every week-day, or if he has gone off and left his registration books in the hands of his son or his wife or anyone else instead of being present in person to register you or others, or if he has failed to perform any other duty that the law requires of him, then at once have any person who has been denied registration or who has failed to get an opportunity to register for any other cause, to swear out at once a warrant for his arrest before the nearest justice of the peace who is a good and reliable man, and have him to issue a warrant for the arrest of said registrar. I enclose you the blank form of affidavit and warrant for this purpose on one sheet. This sheet is marked (Form No. 1.)

The other remedy which I have referred to above and to which I have referred in a former letter, is the writ of mandamus. You can proceed to have the man arrest the man by a magistrate, as I have indicated above. by using the blank form on sheet marked No. Or you can make an affidavit and apply to the Judge of the Superior Court who lives in your district or the Judge holding court in your district, to issue a writ of mandamus to the registrar, ordering him to register you and other voters. This blank form of writ of mandamus and blank form for the judge to use to issue the writ of mandamus are both contained on another sheet marked No. 2.

In many cases I fear it will be impossible to reach a judge and get the writ of mandamus issued, but you can in every case resort to the other remedy by going before a magistrate and using a criminal process as set forth on Form No. 1. Don't fail to do this, because when the registration books close on next Saturday it will then be too late, and we must make a test case of this law and exert every effort to punish every registrar who has violated the law. The liberties of the people of the State demand it. You have the law on your side, and you have the opportunity to enforce it and thus secure justice. Don't fail to do it.

Now, one word more. Have you seen to it that you are registered correctly? Did the registrar swear you? Did he enter your name on the book, instead of on a piece of paper as I understand they are doing in many cases? Did the registrar register you himself, or was it done by his wife or son or someone else? Did you look carefully to see that he entered your name, race and color properly after your name? If not go at once, and get every other voter who is improperly registered in any particular, however small, to go back to the registrar with at least two witnesses and demand that he re-register you or correct the mistakes above referred to, or any other mistakes that you may find that he has made. When you have done this, if he still refuses to register you or to make any necessary correction, then read to him Section 49 of the Election Law, that is, the last part of the section, on page 21, beginning, with the words, "and any registrar or voter," etc', which provides that any registrar who wilfully or fraudulently makes any mistakes in registering a man shall be guilty of an infamous crime and put in the penitentiary and disfranchised. My information is that the registration has gone on more smoothly all over the State than we expected. The trouble has been in spots. Therefore, their hope now is to challenge a sufficient number of men who are on the registration books and prevent them from voting in order to carry the election. Therefore, you must see that every mistake is corrected and every ground for challenge is removed before Saturday night. When you have done this, or at least tried to get the registrar to do it, you have done all that you can do, and if you lose your vote then you can prosecute him. You cannot convict a registrar of committing fraud wilfully unless you call his attention to the mistakes and ask him to make the correction, or to perform his duty, in the presence of witnesses. If you do this, and he still refuses, you can have him indicted and arrested at once, and you will land him in the penitentiary as sure as the sun shines. In short, as vicious as this Election Law is, there is still left in it sufficient provision if enforced for you to protect your liberties and the liberties of the people, or else put every one of these registrars who violate the law in the penitentiary or under a heavy fine. Do this, and do it promptly, and all will be well. Yours, truly,

MARION BUTLER, Chairman.

P. S. I enclose you a blank for registration statistics. It is important for us to know at headquarters as soon as possible just how registration stands. If you cannot give me the figures exactly, then fill up blank and send to me, giving the number of those registered and refused registration as near as possible of each party. Also state as near as you can how many voters of each party in your precinct did not attempt to register.

Butler knows and virtually admits in the above circular that registrars are not refusing to register any properly qualified applicants, and the circular is only a desperate attempt to rally his own demoralized and rapidly disintegrating forces and to intimidate and frighten registrars into registering disqualified negroes. He will find himself mistaken.

The white men of North Carolina are not so easily to be frightened.

Registrars, do your duty. Remember that the State Democratic organization, the great white race, 178,000 strong, the wealth, intelligence and virtue of the State of North Carolina, stand at your back and will see you protected in the proper discharge of your duty.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for **1 cent** per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than **20 cents.** Terms positively cash in advance.

Wanted—To rent one-horse Buggy for few weeks. Apply "S," STAR office, at once. jy 20 1t

Lost—A lady's small open-face Silver Watch and Chain at Wrightsville Beach Wednesday afternoon, either on the Beach or on the train. Finder will receive a liberal reward by returning to this office. jy 20 1t

Notice—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association will be held in the city of Wilmington, N. C., at the office of the Secretary, room No. 7, Masonic Temple, on Tuesday, August 7th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy 18 td

For Sale—My stock of Millinery. I have established trade. Good location. Mrs. Gracie V. Wood. jy 17 1w

Sweet Florida Pineapples—Two hundred must be sold to-day, 10c and 15c each. Call early. 'Phone 439. T. D. Love. jy 14 tf

Now is the time to have your tires put on for the Summer, thereby saving Rims. Marshall's Iron and Wood Work Shops, Seventeenth and Market streets. jy 13 tf

Choice Timothy Hay, Clover Hay, Straw, fresh ground Meal, Pearl Hominy, Flour, Grain and everything in the Feed line for horses, cows and chickens. John S. McEachern, 211 Market street. Telephones No. 92. jy 8 tf

Wilmington, N. C., July 6th, 1900—Escaped from City Pound, strayed, Steer, bridle, gray tip tail, broad wide horns, upper square right ear, crop off left. Weight 672 pounds. Liberal reward to person returning to City Pound. J. F. Garrell. jy 7 tf

Apples, Peaches and Honey—I am receiving daily Apples, Peaches, Butter, Chickens, Eggs, Bananas, Lemons, Oranges, etc. Also, a nice lot of Block Honey now on hand. Persons wishing to buy or ship anything of the kind will do well to see or write me. A. S. Winstead, Commission Merchant, 113 and 115 North Second street, Wilmington, N. C. jy 1 tf

For Sale—Hand-made Buggies of different makes. Also Harness of all kinds; and prices to suit the times. Come and see me when in need of something nice. F. H. Hayden. sep 24 tf

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16 and 18 North Water St.

FLOUR IN BARRELS AND BAGS.

Virginia Water Ground Meal.
Lard, Soap, Lye.
Salt—coarse and fine.
Fresh Crackers and Cakes.
Baking Powders.
Sardines, Molasses, Cheese.
A full line of Tobacco and Choice Cigars and Cigarettes.
Wrapping Paper and Twine.

PAPER BAGS, NAILS.

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

feb 16 tf

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100 Barrels Bunker Hill.
380 Barrels Favorite.
200 Barrels 1-8 Flour.
100 Barrels ¼ Flour.
125 Barrels ½ Flour.
110 Boxes D. S. Meat.
450 Bales Hay.
211 Barrels Sugar.
900 Bushels Corn.
840 Bushels Va. Meal.
200 Dozen Oysters.
180 Dozen Salmon.

W. B. COOPER,

WHOLESALE GROCER,
Wilmington, N. C.

jy 19 tf

To the Visiting Firemen and their Friends:

Every Chair, Rocker, Couch, Mirror and Desk in my store is yours to use while you are with us, as well as Pens, Ink, Paper, Ice Water and Fans—at the same time, while not asking you to buy, I would be glad to have you inspect the Finest, Best Selected, Cheapest stock in the South.

N. F. PARKER,

Furniture and Furniture Novelties,

No. 17 South Front Street.

jy 10 tf

SPRING HINTS.

Fine Fat Mackerel—White No. 1, Illinois Butter for cooking, 15c lb.
A small shipment of Tyger Dairy Butter.
"Fox River Clover Hill" Butter, that means the best.
I can save you money on Meat bought right.

A heavy wagon horse for sale.

Ginger Preserves at 15c lb make your mouth water.
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THE Unlucky Corner. Both 'Phones No. 109. CALL S. W. SANDERS.

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Tin and Sheet Metal Workers.

Roofing, Ship Work. And Stencil Cutting a specialty.

OWEN F. LOVE,
CHARLES CHILDS,
No. 5 Princess street.

my 6 tf

Summer Clearance Sale.

Shirt Waist Percales, Lawns, Ginghams, Ducks, Challies.

Fabrics that sold all Summer at eight and ten cents, must be sold out this week.

CLOSING OUT PRICE, 5c per yd FOR ANYTHING IN THE LOT.

On sale for the week beginning Monday morning.

S. & B. SOLOMON.

jy 15 1t

A BIG REDUCTION IN SUITS TO ORDER

THIS WEEK, so as to make room for Fall goods. Drop in and look over our stock. The Bargains we are offering will catch you. We are offering English, French and Scotch Serges, Cheviots Unfinished Worsteds and Cassimeres.

Just received by Express an elegant line of Negligee Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Washable Ties.

Did you ever try a Japanette Handkerchief? They are elegant for Summer use.

M. H. CURRAN, 107 Princess street.

jy 15 1t

White Supremacy

Two years ago the white men of this county boldly and openly declared that negro domination was and should ever be a thing of the past, and that White Supremacy had come to stay. White government is here and will ever remain, but it is the duty of every white man to REGISTER and settle once for all time this momentous question through the adoption of the Constitutional Amendment. The whites are the property owners and wealth producers, and have neither time nor disposition to habitually work politics, and the Amendment is offered as the only sure means to establish and maintain white government without frequent recurrence to political agitation. Government is the public business of the people, and the better the government the better the private business.

New Hanover will give 3,000 majority for the Amendment and White Supremacy, if every white man will do his duty and register. Remember that if the Amendment carry, the political status is fixed for all time to come, but if it fail, it means another campaign of agitated feeling, political unrest and business uncertainty. It must be clear, therefore, that the Amendment is a business as well as a social proposition. Politically the negro is now a back number. With the adoption of the Amendment, he will be a dead language.

REGISTER, NOW!

jy 18 4t

NEW SAVINGS BANK.

The Guardian Security, Trust and Deposit Co.,

OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

At close of business June 30th, 1900, condensed from report to Corporation Commission.
(Began business April 2nd, 1900.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$95,005.00	Capital stock paid in	$18,212.50
Furniture and fixtures	700.00	Profits less expenses and taxes	3,122.82
Due from banks	18,653.03	Deposits	93,933.82
Cash on hand	1,011.11		
Total	$114,709.14	Total	$114,709.14

Our Deposits are daily increasing, but we want yours and guarantee you the very best service and security.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
F. W. DICK, Cashier.

jy 4 tf

Breaking in a pair of New Shoes

is usually a painful operation; but nine times out of ten that is because either the Shoes are not right themselves or they are not properly fitted to your feet.

Give us a trial at rendering life less burdensome in that particular—to say nothing of giving you a stylish shoe at a reasonable cost.

Come in and see us while you are in the city.

GEORGE R. FRENCH & SONS.

jy 11 tf

Big Sale of Neckwear.

The largest and prettiest line of Ties ever brought to Wilmington have just been shipped to us by our New York buyer.

They will be put on sale this week at prices never before heard of for such values.

AMONG THEM ARE:

100 dozen Shield Bows, 6 Ties for 25c. 25 dozen Percale Scarf's, 6 Ties for 25c. 25 dozen Silk Scarfs, worth 25c, for 15c each. 25 dozen Men's White String Ties, 10c dozen. 15 dozen assorted colors String Ties, 25c dozen. 15 dozen 25c all silk String Ties 10c each, 3 for 25c. 25 dozen latest style Four in-Hand Ties at 25c. 15 dozen English squares in stripes and plaids, worth 50c, for 39c, very stylish. 12 dozen Children's Windsor Ties in plaids, worth 35c, now 21c. Beautiful patterns. Yours, for Bargains,

J. H. Rehder & Co.

615, 617 and 619 North Fourth street.

P. S.—ALL STRAW HATS AT COST.

jy 15 tf

Now the Ball is Over

and yet we have the following goods to offer you at prices that can walk over anything in the city:

4 4 Sea Island Sheeting at 5c per yard
4-4 Bleaching, good, ... at 5c " "
Check Homespun at 4½ & 5c " "

Lace Curtains... at 48 & 90c per pair
4 4 Silkaline ..... at 8c per yard
4-4 Curtain Scrim ..... at 5c " "

A nice line of White Goods, lace stripe and check, 5 to 10c. We will close out our line of Summer Lawns and Dimmities very cheap from 2½ to 9c. We have a beautiful line of Piques, white and all colors, at 9½c, worth 12½c. Blue, black and white Duck at 10c; good value.

Corsets 25, 39, 45, 50 and 75c; special value. Val Lace at 20c per dozen yards. Embroidery, 4, 5, 8, 10, 12½ and 18c per yard. Dress Suit Cases, Telescopes, Grips, Valises and Trunks at your own price to suit the times. You ought to see a certain Man's Shoe we have for $1.00, sizes 6 to 11. Other Shoes and Low Shoes from $1 25 to $5.00. Best in the city. Come and see them

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